

Camp Authorities Are Neutral About Beer Plebiscite In Town

Men Come And Men Go At Camp This Week,
Some Active, Some Reserve, They Know Which

Over 100 reserve recruits arrived today and 150 active recruits arrive tomorrow at Newmarket basic training centre. They replace 250 men who left for other camps on Wednesday. "There is no distinguishing mark between active and reserve recruits," Major B. H. Geary, V.C., second-in-command, told The Era. "The men know themselves which they are, and we can tell by consulting the records, but the men do not know what the other fellow is without asking unless they happened to come in together." There is no word at the camp yet about the ladies who will take over clerical and orderly duties. Men of the training staff are

to have a wet canteen as soon as construction work is completed, but the recruits cannot have a wet canteen unless authority were granted for such canteens in all the basic training centres throughout Canada, Major Geary stated. "The camp is neutral about the town beverage room vote," Major Geary said. "A beverage room in the town would be better than having the men go to Bradford, but there would have to be strict control and co-operation. If there were any trouble, a town beverage room would be put out of bounds for the camp soldiers. "I feel that it would be better to have a wet canteen in the camp for the recruits and then we could control it."

Not Temperance Question Anti-Beer Roomers Told

DR. BOYD WARNS "DRYS"
THEY CAN'T WIN DAY
BY THEMSELVES

The question of beverage rooms and a liquor store for Newmarket, with a brewers' warehouse as an additional probability, will be decided not by the "temperance people" but by moderate drinkers and other citizens who look at the question according to its merits and aside from pronounced prejudices one way or the other, a meeting of the Citizens' League was held in the town hall on Monday evening. Dr. S. J. Boyd, the president, was in the chair. Dr. Boyd emphasized that it was not a "temperance question." He said that many people who made moderate use of alcoholic drinks were opposed to the establishment of beverage rooms in the town. There were not enough "drys" in the town to carry the

CITIZENS' LEAGUE
WILL MEET MONDAY

A meeting of the Newmarket Citizens' League will be held in the Friends church on Monday evening at eight o'clock, in the interests of opposing beer parlors in Newmarket.

vote, he said, and the issue would be decided by people who did not consider themselves "drys" or "wets." The vice-president, Deputy-Reeve Joseph Vale, was present and spoke briefly, making some helpful suggestions about getting out as large a vote as possible. Wesley Brooks and Miss Leonora Starr were present as secretary and assistant secretary of the organization. About 90 persons attended the meeting. An I.O.U. collection of over \$50 was taken to defray incidental expenses.

Chief Pleased With Show Put On In Surprise Test

SLIGHT DELAY OCCASIONED
BY STAFF SHORTAGE
AT WATERWORKS

Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association sprang a surprise on the Newmarket fire brigade today.

Fire Prevention Week found the firemen right on the job, although a slight delay occurred when the firemen phoned from the firehall to the waterworks to confirm the call before starting out.

Unfortunately, there was only one man at the waterworks and he was busy getting the pumps ready to supplement the pressure to fight the fire. When there was no answer on the private line to the waterworks, one of the firemen went to the Hillside Dairy and made a successful call to the waterworks by Bell Telephone line.

The truck then proceeded to Queen and Niagara Sts. The underwriters proceeded with their tests, testing hydrant pressure, waterworks pressure, and the firetruck pump, which pumped 600 gallons a minute out of the pond.

Fire Chief W. W. Osborne expressed satisfaction with the showing made by the brigade and the equipment.



W. W. OSBORNE

WERE RESIDENTS 50
YEARS AGO, REVISIT TOWN

Mr. Ford Elvidge and Mr. Fred Elvidge of San Francisco called on Mr. J. H. Elvidge on Tuesday. They were residents of Newmarket 50 years ago.

IS NEW ASSISTANT

Miss Lois Cane is the new assistant at the Bank of Montreal.

TAKES CASHIER'S POSITION

Miss Margaret Robinson is the new cashier at the Strand theatre.

IS TRANSFERRED

A.C.2 George Johns of the R.C.A.F. has been transferred from Clinton, Ont., to the initial training school at Victoria, B.C.

IS WITH SIGNALERS

Lester Woolven, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Woolven, Queen St. W., has enlisted with the Royal Canadian Army Signals Corps.

Era printing costs little.

THANKSGIVING THOUGHT

A lady who is inviting two soldiers from the Newmarket military camp to have Thanksgiving dinner at her home thinks that other people might do likewise if the suggestion were made to them. Here it is!

ARRIVES SAFELY

Fit-Lieut. Glen Boyd, an R.C.A.F. medical officer, has arrived safely in England, according to a cable received by his parents, Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Boyd.

BOY SCOUTS WILL HOLD APPLE DAY

The annual Boy Scout Apple Day will be held on Saturday, Oct. 11. When the boys greet you with a smile, encourage them by buying an apple.

LOOK OUT FOR VOTE RIGHTS OF COMRADES

TORONTO VETERAN DOESN'T
LIKE ATTITUDE TOWARD
TRAINEES

CITES "60 DAYS"

The following letter is addressed to The Era by E. H. Claridge, secretary-treasurer of the "Veterans' Clubhouse Association," 73 Adelaide St. W., Toronto, and is dated Sept. 26.

Our attention has been drawn to an editorial in the Newmarket Era, under date of Sept. 18, 1941, which reads as follows:

"Whether or not soldiers at the military camp are entitled to vote on the question whether Newmarket shall be a dry town or a wet town now and in the years to come, will be determined by the county judge who revises the voters' list. And the judge will be guided by the statutes."

"Aside from the legal position, all fair-minded people will agree that it is not reasonable that persons who are not living here with the intention of making it their home—whose children will not have to grow up here—who will be able to leave the community if a wet experiment (Page 8, Col. 3)

SUMMER LODGE BURNS, FIREMEN ENDANGERED

A big 25-room summer lodge, operated by Wesley Scott, on the lakeshore road about a mile west of Jackson's Point, Lake Simcoe, was almost totally destroyed by fire on Saturday.

Sparks from the chimney were believed to have caused the fire, damage from which was estimated at \$10,000. It was stated that there was no insurance.

Mr. Scott, his wife and six children tried to fight the fire and Fire Chief F. C. Culverwell of Sutton and his volunteer fire brigade were called and pumped thousands of gallons of water upon the flames, but were unable to stop the blaze, which had worked in behind the four-inch concrete-clad walls.

The lives of several firemen were at one time endangered when one of the walls collapsed and they had to race for safety to avoid being trapped. The family's living quarters at the rear of the lodge were saved, but it was impossible to save even furniture from the lodge proper.

IS WITH R.C.A.F.

Joseph Rundle, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Rundle, Ravenshoe, is training with the R.C.A.F. at Trenton.

SCRAP PICK-UP IS SUCCESS

The scrap pick-up on the east side of the town last Saturday was very successful.

The Cubs did a fine job of seeing to it that the papers were all tied and put out on the street. These boys have worked hard in the last two drives and deserve a great deal of credit for sending the drive over the top.

Other boys that deserve credit are the older scouts, who gave their time and energy to assist the Cubmaster in the Cub work. They are Bill Revill, Jack Revill, Clarke Hill, Perc, Chandler, Bill Denne, Don, Brown, Bob McElroy and Bill Hopper.

This Wednesday the Cub meeting took the form of a skit night. Bill Hopper's and Clarke Hill's groups put on the skits. Refreshments of sandwiches and cakes were devoured by the hungry "Wolves."

GETS COMMISSION

Jack Malcolm of the R.C.A.F. has been promoted to the rank of pilot-officer with a commission.

NATIONAL NEWSPAPER WEEK Your Local Newspaper

This is "National Newspaper Week." Canadian weekly newspapers are this week calling attention to themselves and their place in the community.

Times have changed and weekly newspapers have changed with them. Radio, national magazines, metropolitan newspapers, all striving for the listening or reading time of the public, have put local weeklies to a severe test.

The Era has tried to keep pace, to be worthy of the town and district, to be worthy of the time of its readers, to be worthy of more readers.

The Era has aimed to be accurate, fair, interesting. It has striven to give the fullest possible coverage of local events and visitings.

In giving better service to readers The Era has incidentally given better service to advertisers. There have been more readers and there have been more interested readers.

During the past year The Era has made two advances which should prove to the advantage of the community which it serves.

First is admission to membership in the Audit Bureau of Circulations. This gave national and local advertisers for the first time an audited count and break-down of circulation. Newmarket and district people take pride in The Era's net paid average (A.B.C.) circulation of over 1,200 (watch for new figures to be available shortly for the six months ending Sept. 30).

Second is admission to a group of newspapers known as "Class A Weeklies of Canada." Most of these newspapers represent larger towns such as Barrie, Orillia, Simcoe, Brampton, and admission is based on certain standards of achievement.

Both these forms of recognition are bringing The Era increased national advertising, and will eventually bring increased local advertising. Increased advertising revenue in turn paves the way for better service to readers and other steps forward.

The Era is fortunate in its field. There is a large population to be served, the population almost entirely of British extraction with the same enlightened interests and high ideals, living in a comparatively prosperous industrial and farm district.

The Era seeks your criticism, your approval, your assistance.

ALFRED SMITH IS VETERANS' PRESIDENT

The annual meeting of the Newmarket Veterans' Association was held last Thursday evening.

The following were appointed officers for the ensuing year: president, Alfred Smith; vice-president, Wm. White; secretary-treasurer, J. Duffield; recording secretary, Wesley Brooks; executive, D. J. Stephenson, G. Smith, G. Wales, F. Cass, E. Mitchell, A. Pratt;

Welfare committee, Wm. White, J. Wright; comforts committee, A. McIntosh, J. Petrie, S. J. Brice; memorial, Arthur Evans, F. Keats, F. Penrose; standard bearer, S. J. Brice; auditors, G. Wales, D. J. Stephenson; corps representatives, J. Petrie, Arthur Evans.

Wm. Dixon acted as chairman.

WANT TOWN TO BUY 2 CARRIERS MONTHLY

The war savings committee meets in the council chamber this evening at 8 o'clock. P. J. Tod and W. L. Bosworth are joint chairmen.

Newmarket has averaged purchases of \$5,600 a month for the last four months. The new objective is \$10,000, or two universal carriers, a month.

Tony Wolfe Convicted In Barrie Of Arson

Newmarket leather merchant, Anthony Wolfe was convicted of attempted arson in Simcoe county criminal court at Barrie on Tuesday.

Judge W. T. Robb deferred sentence until Friday to hear character evidence on behalf of Mr. Wolfe.

The charge arose out of a "fire-plant" found in an old hotel which Mr. Wolfe bought at Beeton.

TWENTY RUGS SOLD BY W.A.

The weekly meeting of St. Paul's W.A. was held yesterday instead of today, on account of the fair in the town hall under the auspices of the Women's Institute.

The Dorcas secretary announced at last week's meeting that the 20 rugs, made last season, had been sold. The president has had word from Mrs. White, wife of Bishop White, that she will make her promised visit to the branch later in October instead of next week.

YORK FARMERS BENEFIT

York county farmers from May 1 to Aug. 31 received \$10,989.50 in Ontario government subsidies on 17,134 hogs, of which 85 percent graded A or B1.

YOUTH, 16, KILLED ON HUNTING TRIP

A 16-year-old boy, Levi Irvine Chapelle of Brownhill, was fatally injured on Sunday afternoon when he was accidentally shot while duck hunting on the Brown River.

Accompanied by a friend, Thos. Cole of Toronto, he left the home of his grandmother, Mrs. Nelson Chapelle, near Brownhill, and put a small boat in the river for a duck hunting expedition. The boat became stuck in the weeds and police said that Chapelle put the butt end of his shotgun against the river bank and pushed, in order to free the boat. The gun in some way discharged and the shot entered the boy's chest and shoulder, shattering part of a lung.

Dr. L. W. Dales of Newmarket was called and the boy was taken to York county hospital, where he died late in the afternoon. Constable Alex. McCallum investigated. An inquest is expected.

FLOWERS ARE OFFERED PRIZES AT FALL MATCHES

Flowermen throughout the province are looking forward again with keen anticipation to the day of their branch match to compete for some of the valuable prizes being offered.

A cash prize of \$10, offered to each of the 80 branches by the Salada Tea Company for the best land in jointer plow sod classes, is of particular interest, for the winners of this "special" earn the privilege of competing for valuable prizes in a special championship class at the next international match. The good fortune of two young flowermen from Hornby, Ont., in 1940 has become the topic of conversation among flowermen all over Ontario. As a reward for their prowess they were given a trip which took them to points of agricultural interest in the United States and Canada, from Toronto to Vancouver.

They saw cowboys, sheep-herders and miners in the "copper" town of Butte, Montana. In Iowa they sat in on a conference with farmers and answered questions about Canada and her methods of farming. Every minute of their trip was an education and they learned many new methods of farming which they are using to advantage on their own farms. Gordon McGavin, vice-president of the Flowermen's Association, accompanied them as guide and manager.

If restrictions do not forbid, a similar opportunity will be given to the winners of the first and second awards of the "Salada" event at the "international" being held this year near Peterborough from Oct. 14 to 17. They will also receive gold and silver medals for first and second prizes respectively. Twelve other cash prizes, ranging from \$25 to \$5 are offered for the same event.

SERVE ON JURY

W. Donaldson and Elgin Evans have been serving on jury in Toronto for the past four weeks.

IS IN NOVA SCOTIA



The young man with the big smile above is Jack Luck, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Luck of Newmarket. He is a member of the R.C.A.F. and is at present stationed in Nova Scotia.

HITLER, FIRE, TWIN ENEMIES - STATES CHIEF

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK IS
OPPORTUNITY TO CON-
SIDER LOSSES

ASKS CO-OPERATION

"By proclamation of the governor-general of Canada, the week of Oct. 5 to 11 has been set aside as Fire Prevention Week," Fire Chief W. W. Osborne stated this week. "This week provides an annual occasion to impress upon public consciousness the enormous cost of the fire waste, to the end that conditions may be improved and fire carelessness reduced."

"The world has now passed through two years of the second Great War and we have all read accounts of the devastation and havoc that have been wrought by means of incendiary and high explosive bombs and we have been shocked by the details of such accounts," said Mr. Osborne. "Yet in the 21 years since Fire Prevention Week, this country has recorded more than 863,000 fires involving a property loss of over \$749,000,000 and a loss in human lives of more than 7,969. Our complacency in this respect is only matched by the complacency with which we watched Hitler attain power."

"Fire is no respecter of persons. Every man has a responsibility towards his neighbors and that responsibility should (Page 8, Col. 4)

MORGAN BAKER WEDS MRS. BIRNIE VOWELL

The wedding was solemnized at Grace Church-on-the-Hill, Toronto, on Wednesday of last week, when Mrs. Birnie Vowell was married to Morgan Baker, Liberal M.L.A. for North York. Rev. G. N. Luxton officiated and Mr. and Mrs. George Crawford were witnesses of the ceremony.

Following a small dinner at their suite at the Royal York hotel, Mr. and Mrs. Baker left for the Seignior club. The bride wore a becoming costume of fine blue-gray wool, with full-length coat trimmed with mink. She wore a small, matching, mink-trimmed hat and a corsage of brown orchids.

SOLDIER HURT AT YONGE AND EAGLE

Sgt. Kenneth Mitchell of the 2nd Armored regiment, Strathcona Horse, was severely injured in a collision at Yonge and Eagle Sts. last Thursday.

It was believed that the accident was caused by a rear tire blow-out on the motorcycle just as the soldier was about to pass an oil truck. He crashed heavily into the truck. Dr. G. E. Case of Newmarket attended the injured man, who suffered a broken right leg, face injuries and possible internal injuries. He was removed to York county hospital and later to Christie St. hospital, Toronto.

TROUBLES COME TOGETHER

There was a short power interruption in Aurora, Newmarket, Sutton and the district on Monday noon. After fixing trouble on the Mount Joy circuit, east of Yonge St., linemen were connecting up with the main circuit below Richmond Hill and blew out a breaker, causing the interruption to the north.

GIRL GUIDES WILL MEET

The 1st Newmarket Company, Girl Guides, will hold another of their weekly meetings next Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock. The Guides will try their patrol leaders' test. All girls between the ages of ten and sixteen are welcome.

For Good Or For Ill Community Weekly Has Great Influence

Weeklies Use "National Newspaper Week" To
Point Proudly To Place They Fill In Community

Members of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association are this week calling attention to their place in the community. It is "National Newspaper Week."

It is unlikely that the vast influence of the newspaper on the life of the community in which it is published is realized by any great number of its readers. They look to it for the news of the community; they consult it for dates and hours of meetings of all kinds—church, business, fraternal organizations, college lectures, school entertainments, agricultural developments, and all gatherings.

They depend upon it to keep them informed of special bargains in the mercantile establishments. They also expect it to give them entertainment.

Subscribers may criticize some of the features of their newspapers when they forget that it is printed for the entire public, and not for this group or that, and that its purpose is to give all elements in the community a feeling that it is their newspaper and interested in all of them, or they may laud its broad principles and the services it renders their town or city. But they seldom take time in a busy world to realize fully the enormous influence the newspaper exerts in the lives and on the opinions of its readers.

The newspaper touches all phases of the life of the people in and out of the home. By its frank publication of local news of all kinds, not white-washing unpleasant facts but stating them clearly that readers may familiarize themselves with them and

use the weight of their individual and collective influence in voicing disapproval and effecting reform, it has an untold though often unrecognized part in such reform.

The newspaper upholds all religious and educational causes by giving them much publicity in its columns. It works hard for welfare enterprises and is of vast assistance in persuading citizens to lend their support to these important community efforts.

The newspaper seeks to come near to its readers and the place it holds in their estimation is evidenced by the rush to get "the paper" first when the father comes off the press. Father or mother or children hasten to find that which interests them most. One paper is scarcely enough for a family of eager readers.

And all the while the newspaper is quietly exerting its influence on the community, boosting what it knows will be for its benefit, present and future; condemning what is bound to work for its decadence. The good newspaper honestly tries to use what it knows must be its power in the community for the continual improvement of that community in all departments of its normal life.

No thoughtful person can deny the power of the press nor the part it plays in making local history, and no one can wisely make light of that power. No good citizen can refuse to take some responsibility for the sort of newspaper in his community. He can, by criticism and suggestions, make it better or by neglect make it worse.

Sarah Millard Was Link With Upper Canada Days

LAST OF MORDECAI MIL-
LARD FAMILY DIES
NEAR OLD HOME

A link with the past was broken when Sarah Millard died in her 88th year on Sunday.

For the last couple of years she lived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Morning, Yonge St., near the head of the Holland Landing hill. Until then she had lived all her life nearby in the century-old house of her father and mother, Martha and Mordecai Millard.

The last of a family of ten children, Miss Millard formerly lived alone in the pre-rebellion home on the east side of the highway about 200 yards south of the first turn on the Holland Landing hill. The Millard family, of which her father was a member, owned at one time most of the land on which Newmarket is now located.

Across from the Millard home still stands the stone-walled cellar of the home of Samuel Lount, member of the legislature for Simcoe, who was hanged for his part in the rebellion. The site of Lount's forge is nearby, although not definitely identified.

Miss Millard was born Feb. 12, 1854. She has many relatives in Newmarket. Her father died 72 years ago.

Rev. A. J. Forte of Roche's Point conducted services at the Morning home and at Newmarket cemetery on Wednesday. Pallbearers were Roy Belfry, George West, Stanley Barker, Albert Wilton, Edward Goodwin and Alvin Sisler, all neighbors.

FORMER NEWMARKET GIRL GIVES ADDRESS IN ORILLIA

Mrs. R. G. Collins of Toronto, formerly Miss Myra Morton of Newmarket, gave an inspiring address at the September meeting of St. Paul's United church W.M.S., Orillia, held on Sept. 9. An account of the meeting in the Orillia Packet and Times includes the following: "A warm welcome was given Mrs. R. G. Collins, a former president of St. Paul's, now a member of the dominion board, and living in Toronto. She gave glimpses into the work and personnel of the board that were most interesting. At the close of Mrs. Collins' address everyone present felt proud to be able to share the work of such an organization."

Mrs. Collins lived in Orillia until two years ago when she moved to Toronto. She is a member of the dominion board of the W. M. S. of the United Church of Canada.

IS IN MANITOBA



AC2 George Smart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Smart, Newmarket, is now stationed with the R.C.A.F. at Dauphin, Man.

NUTRITION COURSE HELD

A leaders' training school on nutrition, sponsored by the department of agriculture, was held in Newmarket on Monday and Tuesday.

AMERICAN INDIANS AND AMERICANS MOUNT GUARD

Eight Indians formed the guard at Newmarket basic training camp on a recent occasion, and one of these days it is hoped that eight Americans will mount guard.

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Coming Events

Wednesday, Oct. 15—Afternoon tea and sale of baking, etc., in aid of Queensville Red Cross, at the home of Mrs. P. S. Boag, Queensville, 2 p.m. to 5 p.m., S.T. Tea 25c. c2w35

Friday, Oct. 17—Trinity Y.P.U.'s annual Varsity Fair. In United church Sunday-school rooms at 8 p.m., D.S.T. Fun for everyone. c1w35

Friday, Oct. 21—Red Cross Halloween dance in the high school auditorium. Art West's orchestra. Watch for further particulars. t2w35

Tuesday, Oct. 23—Wabasso demonstration and fashion show in St. Paul's parish hall. t2w35

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THE LASCELLES APPOINTMENT -- A LESSON?

A name like "Lascelles" always commands attention. The appointment of a gentleman of that name as Toronto's finance commissioner is of interest also because of the salary increase voted. Mr. Lascelles has been earning \$4,500 a year in a lesser position in the city's service. He is now to receive \$9,000, compared with his predecessor's \$10,000 and apparently compared with a more distant predecessor's \$18,000.

To most of us it occurs to wonder how a man who was worth \$4,500 a year yesterday can today be worth \$9,000 just because he has assumed greater responsibilities. Surely he was giving his best before. Many of us would have suggested gradual increases in salary dependent on performance, but would we have been right? After reading reports of the city hall discussions and the comments of the Toronto press (which deserves a large share of the credit for Toronto's high standing as a well-governed municipality) we have reached the conclusion that the city council has acted wisely in paying its new finance commissioner generously.

We won't try hard to support that conclusion, but among the reasons for a good salary are that his job is a tremendously important one to the city, that being well paid should contribute to his efficiency (and an able man in a responsible job could be poorly paid at \$5,000 a year, however handsomely paid some of us might be at that figure), and that a highly-paid official will have more prestige both at city hall and in his contacts with the public.

Assuming that the decision was right, credit must be given to the city councillors who made it. It is no easier for Toronto city councillors than for the rest of us to employ someone at a higher salary than our own. It requires a certain largeness of outlook that many of us lack. Perhaps there was just a little of that human weakness, the desire to keep others down to our own level, in our recent decision in Newmarket to let a valuable town employee go and in our failure to date to replace him. At \$2,000 a year he was earning more than most of us, and we just didn't see what a big job he had, what special qualifications he had, or appreciate how many times over he was earning his salary. We looked at his salary as an expense rather than as an investment.

We are not critical of our town council, but just questioning our whole attitude as a town, for the council decision in the incident mentioned was probably reflective of the attitude of most of the rest of us. Newmarket's financial standing, viewed from the point of view of collection of taxes, arrears, retirement of debenture debt, etc., compares favorably with Toronto's, but perhaps Toronto is wiser in some respects. We raise the question for discussion.

INDUSTRIAL STRIFE

It is interesting to dig up the things that an individual said ten or fifteen or even twenty years ago to "prove" that he is now mistaken or that he is now pursuing a mistaken policy, if it be at variance with his earlier viewpoint.

Thus a periodical quotes what Prime Minister Mackenzie King had to say 23 years ago in condemnation of strikes and lock-outs as methods of settling industrial disputes.

Mr. King probably still thinks as he did 23 years ago that conciliation is the right way and the strike or the lock-out the wrong way. As prime minister, however, he is not quite as free to say what he thinks, and now as then he possibly doesn't believe that the government should force one side or the other to accept an unpalatable settlement.

The question is whether democratic countries, while fighting totalitarian countries, shouldn't adopt some compulsory settlement plan, even if the plan should prove unfair, from time to time, to employees or employers. And of course any plan would be unfair to someone, unless everybody, employer and employee, were put on a \$1.30 plus board and clothing basis.

Even a leave-alone policy is preferable to that proffered last week by an Ontario government minister, "to conscript or shoot at sunrise." That would mean that we had lost the war indeed.

VOICES ACROSS THE SEA

A group of war veterans in New Liskeard, in co-operation with a Kirkland Lake radio station, have had personal messages from New Liskeard people to their soldier boys overseas recorded, to be broadcast to Britain at a time when, presumably, the boys will have been warned by letter to listen in. This is a nice idea and should cure a good many cases of homesickness.

Mr. B. K. Sandwell, editor of Toronto Saturday Night, in a broadcast from Britain last week, said that Canadian soldiers were anxious for more letters from home. Some letters are lost at sea of course, but even if none were lost there couldn't be too many of them.

The broadcast is a very nice idea, although how arranged we do not know. We are quite certain that it would not be possible for every Canadian family to send greetings in that way to members overseas. What would be feasible, however, we think, would be for a family to have a record

made (Max Boag can do this in Newmarket) and send it to the boy overseas. He could take it to a canteen or perhaps to a private home and play it over and over to his heart's content. Maybe there is an idea there for a lovely but inexpensive Christmas present for some of the lads overseas.

ANOTHER WAY TO SAVE GASOLINE

Without suggesting that the town can afford to repair all its sidewalks at the present time, it may be noted in passing that there are still many walks in bad shape. Some—for instance, the walk on the south side of Water St. hill—are even dangerous. Councillor Frank Bowser's committee on roads and bridges has done a lot of excellent work in the past couple of years, but the amount of money available for repairs doesn't seem to be sufficient to do much more than not let the walks get any worse. The war doesn't encourage spending, but, straining after an argument in support of sidewalk repairs in wartime, it might be suggested that better sidewalks would encourage walking and save gasoline!

BOOTSTRAP BUSINESS

Would two or three beverage rooms and a liquor store in Newmarket be good for business? They certainly would be good for the liquor business, but would they help other business? Maybe they would, maybe they wouldn't. Some people point to Bradford as a village which has benefited in a business way from its beverage rooms, while others think that the beverage rooms get most of the business that goes to Bradford.

While there is a certain amount of unpleasantness for the business people of Bradford thrown in, we would not be surprised if Bradford stores take in more money than they would without beverage rooms. We would guess that, anyway, for, with Newmarket and Aurora dry, Bradford is to some people like an oasis in a desert. Much of the money would go to the beverage rooms, but there would be considerable spent in Bradford stores that might otherwise be spent in Newmarket, Aurora or at the village general stores of the district. Bradford merchants are possibly benefitting at the expense of other merchants of the district.

It seems to us, however, that it is a game that only an occasional town in a district can play successfully. There is a certain amount of trade that is going to be drawn by beverage rooms and Bradford is probably getting a good share of it. To the north Sutton gets it. If Newmarket were to get on the same wagon, with the idea that business would be greatly benefited, we would find ourselves dividing this beer-baited business with Bradford and Sutton, and probably not gaining enough to offset the depleted incomes of our own citizens who now buy at home but could not keep clear of the beverage rooms if they were in our midst. Those who sell on credit and families who live on a wage would share the rap.

You may draw business that somebody else is now getting by the establishment of beverage rooms, but you can't create any new business. The amount of money in the community can only be increased by the establishment of new productive enterprises selling to the people of other communities. Beverage rooms can only divert money now being spent elsewhere in beverage rooms or in merchandise or now being spent in Newmarket for food, milk, clothes, rent, amusements, or now going to churches, charities or war causes, or into war savings certificates, insurance or bank savings.

Beverage rooms and a liquor store and a brewers' warehouse might help business in Newmarket. They might draw to Newmarket people not now shopping here who would not only spend money with the aforementioned outlets but also with the merchants. From our chats with local merchants, however, we gather that many of them think that they would not gain as much new business in that way as they would lose from their present customers in lessened merchandise purchases and credit losses.

These thoughts of course represent our own viewpoint. Some people may think very differently. If so, we would like to hear from them. Anything any Newmarket citizen cares to write on the subject will be given space, regardless of the viewpoint taken, for we do want to be fair. We can be prejudiced and still be fair, you know, if those who see things differently will just co-operate to the extent of putting their thoughts on paper for publication.

THOSE AURORA FLASHES

"Aurora proves spectacular in this area," declares a heading in the Barrie Examiner. Had it been winter time we would have expected to read about a junior hockey game, and we would have expected to see the Aurorans to trim the Northern Lights.

WHAT OTHERS THINK

THE CONSCRIPTION ISSUE

(Simco Reformer)

The conscription issue will not down. Speaking to a large audience in Toronto last week, Mr. Beverley Baxter, eminent Canadian-born journalist and member of the British house of commons, averred that he could not comprehend how Canada could carry out its pledge of all-out aid to the mother country without conscription.

From another quarter at almost the same time came a pronouncement by the Canadian Chamber of Commerce to this effect: "When in the opinion of the government, voluntary efforts fail to meet the needs of manpower for Canada's wholehearted participation in the war, business, as represented in the membership of the chamber, will readily co-operate in a policy of compulsory selective service in Canada and abroad."

Meanwhile Premier King, Hon. Mr. Ralston and their associates are calling for more men for Canada's army. Scarcely a week passes that one government leader or another is not stressing the need for men. Hon. Mr. Howe recently declared that his department could completely outfit and equip a new division every five or six weeks. It is rapidly becoming apparent that whereas lack of equipment was a stumbling-block up until the past summer, now it is the lack of men which is militating against an all-out effort on Canada's part.

Oddly enough Canada has virtual conscription

for her young men from 21 to 24 years of age at the present time. We were reminded of this fact again last week when Ottawa announced that no longer would young men in those age categories, who enlisted in the reserve army prior to Aug. 15, 1940, be exempt from a call-up to take four months' compulsory training and to serve in the home defence forces at least for the duration of the war. It is inevitable that the reserve army will be dealt a severe blow by this measure, indicating that the department of national defence is determined to secure the necessary men for the six Canadian divisions which have been or are being mobilized.

If this is not conscription for the 21 to 24-year-olds, then it is dangerously close to it. A majority of the basic training centres, to which the recruits are assigned for the first two months of their training, report an exceptionally high percentage of the young men signing up for active service. In many instances, no doubt, they come to the conclusion that service with the active army is preferable to spending the duration of the war on coastal defence in remote regions of Canada. Again, many active service volunteers are in training at these basic centres and their presence must have an influence on the four-month trainees. Just what degree of pressure is exerted on the young men to sign up for active service is not clear, but it is certain that 100 per cent enlistment, as reported from some centres, is not secured without some effort.

Many Canadians look upon this method of securing recruits as conscription by subterfuge and they declare that outright conscription on a fair and frank basis is highly preferable to the present system. Certainly it seems unfair that only men in the 21 to 24 age categories are being conscripted to fight Canada's battles. Men above 24 are free to do as they please, to take lucrative employment in war industry, to avoid military training of any kind or simply to do nothing. It is strangely incongruous that such a condition should prevail in a country at war. Even the United States has compulsory selective service for men in much higher age categories, without even being at war. It is said that Ottawa avoids "conscription" because of Quebec. That province evidently has accepted conscription for her 21 to 24-year-olds without a murmur. With Canada in dire peril is it possible to conceive that Quebec would rebel at the much fairer and more straightforward system of compulsory selective service for all able-bodied men up to 30 years of age at least? The answer must come in the not distant future.



A JAY AND A JUNCO DISCUSS CURRENT EVENTS

BY RUTH DINGMAN HEBB

"Talk about an army of Starlings!" exclaimed Handsome, the Blue Jay, to Slaty, the Junco. "Just look up toward the north above that field of stubble."

"Merely, that's the biggest flock of birds I've seen this year," chirped Slaty in excited tones. "It's so big it looks like a great black cloud. There must be two thousand birds in that bunch."

"They're dividing up into two flocks now," said Handsome. "My word, they're going to do some flying manoeuvres for us. Watch the way the two flocks are wheeling and swooping in perfect formation."

"It's a wonder they don't bump into each other," commented Slaty as he watched. "And look at the wonderful way they all do the same thing at the same instant. I wonder how they know what to do so perfectly."

"I'm afraid we Jays don't look so well-trained when we fly," remarked Handsome. "We're more intent on getting where we're going than they seem to be."

"It's true they don't appear to be going in a straight line, do they, although, as we have watched them, they have been going more or less southwards in a sort of zig-zag fashion," Slaty responded.

"They've all settled down in that field down there, now," said Handsome, peering from a high perch. "But in a minute or two they'll probably wheel into the air again and resume their southerly wanderings."

"A lot of the birds have definitely left our neighborhood," said the Junco. "Actually, I didn't nest here myself, but went up farther north to bring up a family. But we Juncos like to come down to a place like this for the autumn and will hang around for quite some time, so I will call it 'our neighborhood.'"

"Yes, I've said good-bye to a goodly number of birds during September," agreed Handsome. "And the least one can do is wish them a safe journey, for it is an anxious time for them."

"I heard quite a number of birds flying and talking overhead last night," Slaty told the Jay.

"Yes, a great many of the birds fly at night—fly seriously and make time, that is," said Handsome. "It's quite natural, of course, because they have to feed by day and just amble along during the daylight, resting and eating."

"That isn't true of all the birds, though," Slaty quickly pointed out. "Birds like the Nighthawks and the Swallows and the Chimney Swifts, who get their food on the wing, don't really have to stop to feed. They just grab their food as they fly and it doesn't interfere with their travels, you might say. And, of course, they can't travel and eat by night so they go in the daytime and rest at night."

"I'm sorry to see the Swallows

SUPPORT OF RUSSIA DOESN'T MEAN APPROVAL

(Barrie Examiner)

In an editorial entitled "Is Communism a Menace?" the Newmarket Era says that it is understandable that some people in this country and in Britain are half-hearted in their sympathy with Russia against Germany. It points out that Russia did not come into the war with its hands clean, but Russia's aggressions are not the real quarrel that most people have with the Soviet. The Era continues by saying that most of the old world nations have made mistakes and people are broadminded enough to realize this fact.

The question of lack of sympathy with Russia is to our mind largely one of that nation's record in the past few years. It is true, as The Era suggests, that Russia has made a lot of enemies because it has sought to spread its political philosophy in other countries, and that that philosophy includes the overthrow of governments by force. The editorial continues by pointing out that the main difference between Nazism and communism is that the former is a fanatical doctrine of racial superiority and expansion while the other is an economic and political doctrine which all the world is invited to adopt.

While what The Era says may be true, we hardly believe that the feelings of most people are based on these premises. Russia crushed the church and tried to make its people atheistic. It has killed millions of its citizens by starvation and by successive purges. Those are the things which most civilized people object to about Russia.

To accept the suggestion of The Era we would have to admit that a gangster was absolutely all right if he committed murders to help his invalid mother or to provide clothing for his children. The fact that some good might result from the commission of a crime, or that some sort of idealism exists behind a system that is rotten, cannot condone the acts of barbarism committed by Russia. True, Russia is now a partner in the great fight against Nazism, and Russia will have every bit of help the democracies can give her, but it would be idle to forget the past entirely and completely trust a nation which has sought to overthrow the governments of the nations who are now standing by her side in her dire peril. Perhaps the happier side of this relationship will be that Russia will see that her only friends are the democracies, and that this detested system of capitalism is not, after all, so bad as it has been painted.

25 YEARS AGO

From Era file, Sept. 29, 1916

Work has commenced on a new platform at the Grand Trunk Station.

The 220th battalion will spend the winter in Newmarket at the fair grounds. Work will commence on the building as soon as the fair is over today.

T. B. Kirk is putting in a 1,400-foot floor at Cane's factory, some cement work for W. C. Widdifield, and two cellar floors for Alf. Lloyd.

The milk dealers decided on Tuesday that the weather is cool enough now to keep milk without a Sunday delivery.

A break having occurred in the conduit leading from Fairy Lake to the Office Specialty, the company has decided to abandon their water power, the electric installation having proved so satisfactory.

A new cement bridge is being put in on Main St., on the road to the cemetery.

The marriage took place in King on Wednesday of Rev. Percy W. Richardson and Miss Marjorie Stone. Rt. Rev. Dr. Sweeney, Bishop of Toronto, performed the ceremony.

Last Saturday afternoon the Girl Guides spent a very enjoyable time in the orchard of C. E. Lewis, Yonge St. They had a corn roast.

A new platform is being put down in front of Cane's factory.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the Methodist parsonage on Sept. 19, when Eva, sister of Mrs. James Moore, was united in marriage to Norman Phillips of Orillia.

BORN—in Newmarket, Sept. 25, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Davies, a daughter.

BORN in Newmarket, Sept. 27, to Mr. and Mrs. Alex. M. Scott, a son.

DIED—in Newmarket, Sept. 27, Ada Matilda, wife of George Stark, aged 37 years.

50 YEARS AGO

From Era file, Oct. 2, 1891

A. Robertson has rented a large space in the centre of the fair grounds and is erecting something new—a refreshment booth.

A chimney fire at the Forryth house on Timothy St. was quickly extinguished on Monday evening.

The old public school buildings are to be sold by auction tomorrow. It is expected that the new model school will be opened about the 15th.

Abram Miller has commenced the erection of a new residence on Cotter St.

A hole in the Huron St. bridge last Monday morning required immediate repairs.

Mrs. Joseph Bogart is visiting at Strang's week.

Mr. Andrew Hunter was down from Barrie last week.

Fred Hartley, who is suffering from blood poisoning, is now recovering nicely.

The fall fair is being held next Tuesday and Wednesday. There will be many attractions.

Mrs. Fred C. Bogart and daughter of Toronto are visiting at the home of Mrs. Fisher and Mr. Joseph Bogart for three or four weeks.

MARRIED—On Sept. 30, by Elder D. Prosser, at his residence, Mr. Moses W. Emes of

The Common Round

INDIVIDUALS

By Isabel Inglis Colville

I suppose that one of the greatest blessings a democracy has to offer is that each person is free to develop his own personality—assisted or hindered, of course, by environment and education. Some great souls have become great in spite of environment, but most of us ordinary people, who make up the great mass of humanity, are products of the environment. That is, I think, we absorb certain essential qualities from our homes and schools and churches and we superimpose on this foundation our individuality. If we lived in a dictator-ridden country, we would be moulded by the state and all the qualities that distinguish me from a thousand other people of my generation and station in life, would be pruned off and I would be short of what makes me myself. Individuality is a mighty queer thing, too; our departures from the way we were brought up do not always reflect any great credit on those departures.

For instance, my mother and my husband's mother were both orderly souls—and their houses reflected their orderliness.

For myself, I agree with St. Paul, that cleanliness is next to godliness, but my soul rebels at having to keep things in their place.

Mother looks pained when she sees a stack of magazines on the floor beside my chair; a piano strewn with music and a desk littered with papers.

"How do you ever expect to find anything?" the poor woman will ask, especially after one of the occasions when Speck becomes literary and chews up a few papers or burrows under magazines.

But on the few occasions when my desk has been reduced to order and magazines relegated to the discard, I've always wanted a letter in a hurry or tried, in vain, to locate some article in one of the magazines which had been put away. But apart from all these small things, there are the deeper things in life—religion, vocation, education, the ordering of one's life—in these, I think we are inhabitants of a democracy are like the oddly shaped parts of a picture puzzle—no two parts exactly alike and yet all having a place—we become, each, an integral part of the whole, and yet, we do not lose our shape.

Whereas in the dictatorships,

they resemble a picture puzzle too, but one in which each piece is cut in small exact squares—all the odds and ends that make for personality have been cut off—and the squares can be put in place with a minimum of effort and the whole present the uniformity that regimentation gives. I often wonder if the birds and animals in a dictatorship have been regimented too, for they certainly have marked individuals.

We have a cat—Speck—who has a particular chair. He is a cat who mistrusts all the world save his own home folk. So when he hears strange voices, he invariably files for some remote corner, but there is one thing gives him courage. The other evening some felons came in and one of them sat down on Speck's chair.

I noticed Speck peering in at the door and presently in he marched and sat himself down in front of the offender: tail swishing and uttering things that would have to be written in asterisks, he stared at the poor man, who stared back and wanted to know what the matter was.

As we wouldn't let him vacate the chair and Speck wouldn't cease his wordy battle, we had to remove his catnip to the great outdoors, where he sulked till the intruder disappeared.

But to get back to individualism—the saddest thing to me about Nazism and Fascism is the role the children are forced to play.

The lovely old folk songs and the splendid hymns that were German children's proud heritage have given place to songs—not of patriotism, but of war and hate.

They are taught to admire what our school boys are taught to loathe—to spy and to tell—tells us badly for the German youth when this war is over. They will have lost initiative, personality and honor and will have to unlearn before they can be real citizens, not slavish followers of a cult.

Democracy may have its faults—what system hasn't? But it at least lets the individual show what he is capable of being and doing. And the service he can offer the state is from one who cherishes the best in that state and is willing to fight and die for it because it offers the best way of life for man, woman and child, that has yet been conceived.



Sir Herbert Holt of Montreal, Canadian financier and probably the dominion's richest man, died at his home on Sunday at the age of 85. During his lifetime he had been the controlling figure in about 250 companies.

The C.I.O. strike at McKinnon Industries Ltd., St. Catharines, which began on Sept. 11, ended last Saturday afternoon when 87 percent of 1,500 union members voted to accept an eight-point agreement which did not provide a wage increase. The strike cost the men \$450,000 in wages. They lost 60,000 working hours, 80 percent of which would have gone to war work.

Twenty more Frenchmen were executed by Germans at Lille, following a 24-hour "reign of terror" by dynamites along the main railway from Paris to the northern industrial area of Lille.

The Canadian government has banned imports from Japan, the Japanese empire or Manchoukuo, except under special permit from Revenue Minister Gibson.

About 200 fliers, Canadians, Australians, New Zealanders and British, walked off a troop transport ship at an east coast Canadian port recently in protest against conditions under which they said they would have to live in crossing the Atlantic.

The London (Ont.) Labor Council decided on Sunday to send a resolution to Prime Minister King requesting the resignation of Hon. Norman McFarley, minister of labor.

Fifty-eight Czechs were executed on Tuesday in retaliation for an attempt by the Czechs to throw off German domination of Bohemia-Moravia.

The Russian army announced on Wednesday that they had given up Poltava in the Ukraine to the Germans. It was an important barrier on the way to Kharkov, key industrial centre.

A heavy casualty list was feared as the result of the heavy bombing of five British northeast coast towns on Tuesday night.

Prime Minister Churchill told the British parliament this week that Britain's home position was enormously improved, with her shipping losses cut two-thirds in the last three months, but said that in every arm except the air Hitler still held the initiative.

One man was killed and 16 persons were injured on Tuesday night when a Montreal-Que-

North Gwillimbury to Miss Annie Sellens of Toronto. DIED—A Ballantrae, Sept. 19, Margaret Riley, aged 75 years.

Zephyr

Mr. and Mrs. H. Shields of Toronto spent Saturday evening with Mrs. Harman.

Miss Dorothy Ferguson of Toronto was at her home here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid. Bradley of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. Austin Pickering of Toronto spent Sunday at the home of their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allen of Toronto was at Mrs. Milstead's on Sunday.

Mr. Kenneth Pickering of Davisville spent Sunday with his father.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Ferguson of Uxbridge had tea with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hynard on Sunday.

Oct. 5 is the date for the farewell service of Rev. A. D. Lehman at Mount Pleasant church at 11 a.m. Everyone is sorry to see Mr. Lehman and his family go, but this community's loss will be another's gain. Rev. Mr. Good will follow Mr. Lehman, who goes to Sumidale from here.

The anniversary services at the Presbyterian church will be held on Oct. 5, conducted by Rev. Mr. Young of Beaverton. Madam Jones will be the soloist and there will be special music by the Leaskdale choir.

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bee pool train became derailed near Maskinonge, P.Q., and one car fell into the Maskinonge river.

The major part of Italian consumer goods are under purchase and sale bans, which will greatly paralyze Italian industry.

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POLICE COURT

Declares Truck Skidded
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"A driver must be prepared for any emergency," Magistrate W. F. Woodliffe told Lieut. Richard I. Kerrigan, Camp Borden, in Newmarket police court on Tuesday. The latter pleaded not guilty to a charge of careless driving on Yonge St. on Sept. 19 when his car was in collision with that of Patrick J. Scanlon of Youngstown, Ohio.

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YOUR LIVER

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FRUIT-ATIVES

FIRE PREVENTION WEEK -- OCT. 5 - 11

Prevent Fires

THESE SIMPLE SUGGESTIONS, IF FOLLOWED BY EVERY-ONE IN THE FAMILY WILL MAKE YOUR HOME SAFE FROM FIRE.

Put lighted matches and smokes out before you throw them away. Keep matches where small children cannot reach them. Never smoke in the garage, barn or attic, nor in bed.

Remove rubbish, waste papers and all unnecessary combustible materials. Provide metal ash and trash cans. Burn rubbish only in a safely covered brick or metal incinerator. Watch the fire.

Examine all stoves, furnaces, and smoke-pipes to make sure they are safe and well away from wood-work or other burnable materials. Have needed repairs made at once.

Value the advice of your fire chief who says that many fires are caused by dirty or defective chimneys. Have the chimney cleaned regularly, and have all defects repaired.

Escape the danger of flammable liquid fires and explosions by keeping no gasoline in the house. Do dry cleaning with safe liquids or send the work to the cleaner. Never start fires with kerosene.

Notify the electric company of electrical trouble. Replace "blown" fuses with new ones—not with pennies. Avoid homemade wiring jobs.

Teach everyone in the family to be careful of fire, to watch stoves, fireplaces, electric irons and all other possible fire causes, and every day to remove old rags, papers and other rubbish.

Fireproof your home as far as possible by fire-safe roofing, fire stopping in hollow walls and partitions to stop the spread of flame, and a non-combustible basement ceiling.

Inquire of your fire chief, when buying a fire extinguisher, to be sure of getting the right kind. Don't hesitate to ask your firemen whenever you have questions on Fire Prevention.

Remember always where the nearest fire alarm box is and how to send an alarm. If telephoning, be sure the address is clearly understood. Use a neighbor's phone rather than one in the burning building.

Explain to everyone in the house what to do in case of fire, how to put out a fire in clothing by wrapping in a rug or blanket, what to do when grease catches fire in the kitchen.

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have taken place on the east side of the road.

"I questioned Mr. Kerrigan and he said that a car ahead had slowed up and rather than hit it he had pulled out to the left," stated the officer.

In his defence Lieutenant Kerrigan stated that he had been travelling to Toronto with three passengers at a speed of between 45 and 50 miles an hour. As he came into a line of traffic the driver of a truck ahead jammed on his brakes. In order to avoid crashing into the rear of the car immediately ahead he pulled out to the left, coming into the path of an oncoming car.

"Why didn't you pull out to the right, there was a shoulder there?" asked Constable Ferguson.

"It all happened so quickly," replied the defendant. "If I had swerved to the right I would have had to make a sharp turn and would have gone into a bank."

"You didn't have the car under complete control," commented his worship. "You were driving without due care and attention. I am fining you \$10 and costs or ten days."

Joseph Amodeo, Toronto, gave a soldier a ride on the side of his car, and pleaded guilty to a charge of careless driving. He was fined \$5 and costs.

Constable Ferguson told his worship that he observed Mr. Amodeo driving in Whitechurch with a soldier on the running-board of his car. The man's head was inside the window of the car and his body obstructing the view of the driver both at the side of the car and in the rear-view mirror. He stated that the car was travelling at 50 miles an hour at the time.

A third charge of careless driving was against John Stevenson, Tor-

onto, who was fined \$20 and costs.

"I was called to the scene of an accident at the south end of the Bradford flats and found a truck which had been driven by Mr. Stevenson across the road," testified Constable Ferguson. "I followed the skid marks on the road which showed the truck skid on its side for 107 feet and then went on the shoulder of the road for 42 feet."

The officer went on to say that the marks showed that the truck had gotten back onto its wheels, then crossed the road to the opposite shoulder. In all, it went 425 feet while out of control.

The defendant said that he had lost control of the car but did not think that he was going fast.

"You were driving too fast, you might have had a very serious accident," stated his worship. "It's lucky for someone that they weren't approaching you at the time."

Found guilty of selling liquor without a license to do so, Louis Knowles, Newmarket taxi driver, was sentenced to two months in jail, the doctor at the jail to decide whether he is physically able to do hard labor. A second charge, that of illegal possession, was withdrawn with the consent of the crown.

According to a member of the military police, he and another provost were each given a marked \$2 in the adjutant's office at the military camp. He called up Mr. Knowles' home from "Alec's" restaurant, but Mr. Knowles was not at home. Later the defendant drove up to him, as he and other provosts were standing in the vicinity of the King George hotel and asked him if he wanted a taxi. He said he got into the car after first asking his friend if he had any money and being given his marked \$2. With this bill he purchased a 12-ounce bottle of rye from Mr. Knowles. After he left the defendant he gave the bottle to Constable Sloss.

The witness went on to say that later he called up Mr. Knowles again in order to buy some more liquor. The defendant met him in front of Adams' pool-room and then drove down Park Ave., where he parked at the side of the road. The witness said he purchased another bottle of rye and then both of them got out of the car. Constable Sloss, who was in another car, came along and searched the defendant and the car.

In his testimony Chief Constable James Sloss stated that he was present in the adjutant's office at the camp when the two soldiers were given the marked bills. He said that later, when he searched Mr. Knowles on Park Ave., he found the two marked bills on his person and three bottles of rye in the car.

For not obtaining a dog licence, John Hickey, Newmarket, was fined \$3 and costs or four days, the fine to include the price of the dog tag.

G. W. Curtis, dog tax collector for the town of Newmarket, told his worship that he had gone to the defendant's home on three occasions. The license was due on the first of May.

Pay-day at Newmarket military camp would make Harry Markham's pockets jingle. Ten dollars and costs or ten days in jail, for not having an operator's license, and \$5 and costs for speeding were the fines imposed on him by Magistrate Woodliffe.

According to Constable Ferguson the defendant had been travelling at 65 miles an hour on Yonge St. Asked by his worship why he did not have a driver's license, Mr. Markham stated that some of his fellow soldiers at the barracks told him that he did not need a license when he was in uniform. He admitted that he had learned to drive only three months ago.

"You should not have been driving at all and certainly not at 65 miles an hour," commented his worship. "That's bad."

His worship dismissed a charge of stealing a cow against Herbert Patrick, Snowball, which was laid on the complaint of Thomas Jordan, Pottsville, and advised that the case was one for the civil courts.

When called to the stand to give evidence, Mr. Jordan told his worship that he had gone with the defendant to Mr. Dodge's farm near Orangeville to purchase some potatoes in March, 1939, and while there bought a cow for which he made a down payment of \$2. Some days later he went back with Mr. Patrick to get the cow and gave the latter \$20 to pay for the animal. He said that he let Mr. Patrick take the cow to his farm and use the milk from it for his family. He was to return the animal to his farm in May which he did not do. He said that as he had not been in the hospital for most of the time since, he was unable to go for the cow but sent others to tell the defendant to return it, which he did not do.

Mr. Patrick denied that Mr. Jordan purchased the cow from Mr. Dodge and told his worship that he himself paid for the animal out of his own money.

Magistrate Woodliffe ordered that the cow be returned to Mr. Patrick. It had been seized by Constable Gus Farquhar when the charge was laid.

"By the way, who pays for the cow's keep?" asked Crown Attorney N. L. Mathews, K.C. "It has been in Constable Farquhar's keep since he took it from Mr. Patrick."

"Yes, who got the milk?" asked Magistrate Woodliffe, trying to suppress a smile.

"Mr. Farquhar says the cow was of no use to him," replied the crown.

His worship remanded Mrs. Dorothy Warick, no address, charged with vagrancy, to a mental hospital. County Constable Ronald Watt testified that he had received information about the defendant and proceeded to the old Bradford road, where he found her with a child, who was improperly clothed. She had a coat, and all her belongings in it, on her arm. The woman told him that she came to that part of the country to find work in gardens.

Mr. Carl Kayler, of the York County Children's Aid Society, told his worship that the defendant had been in a mental hospital from 1932 to 1936 and had since been wandering from place to place.

Douglas Odum, Toronto, was fined \$1 and costs for having bad lights.

Eighteen motorists were con-

VIVIAN
Social Evening Held
In Honor Of Soldiers

Those who were present at the harvest home service at the church on Monday evening of last week enjoyed the splendid musical program presented by the "MacNeil Evangelistic Group" from Toronto.

The group were introduced by B. Reid, in the absence of the pastor.

John Mitchell brought a short message to the young people on Wednesday evening on "The New and Living Way," Heb. 10: 19-20. Lloyd Grose led in the singing of some choruses and offered the opening prayer. The scripture lesson was read by the president, Miss Sadie Mulholland, and gave a reading and the meeting closed with prayer by Earl Grose.

Gnr. Cyril Cutler was home for a few days recently on embarkation leave.

Miss Gallanger has her mother spending the week with her at Miss Hollidge's.

The young people held a social evening on Thursday of last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Needler on the fourth concession, in honor of two young men, Wilfred Needler and Fred Woodhouse, who are leaving this week, having joined the Queen's Own Rifles.

The prayer meeting on Friday evening was in the charge of Lloyd Grose and on Saturday evening the last open-air meeting of the season was held at Mount Albert.

The pastor spoke on Sunday evening from the text, "One thing thou lackest," Mark 10: 21. Special messages in song were brought by Mrs. Jas. Ballard and Miss C. Mulholland and there was a duet by Miss Irene Boden and David Fox.

During the service three young men, Garfield Brown, Robt. Johnson and David Fox, who are leaving this week to attend Prairie Bible school, gave a few words of testimony.

Union Street

Mr. and Mrs. Joyce and children, and Mr. and Mrs. B. Newall and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Albert Newall of Union Street over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smith and children spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. MacKinnon of Keswick.

Miss Leona Sedore visited Mr. and Mrs. D. Benton over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knights and children had dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William McGill on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stephens are welcomed to the neighborhood.

The community prayer meeting was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson of Sharon last Tuesday evening.

Visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Benton on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nottle and children and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Nottle.

Hope

Miss Amy Gibson visited Mrs. D. B. Stickwood on Thursday.

Miss Ruth Brenair is expected to return to her home today from York county hospital and is improving nicely.

Miss Elda Stickwood, Holt, visited Mrs. D. B. Stickwood on Friday.

Miss Margaret Morton spent the weekend with Mrs. S. Stickwood.

Miss Maud Fairbairn and Miss Lottie Tansley were dinner guests on Sunday at Mrs. Geo. Broderick's.

Among the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Stickwood were Rev. Mr. Ferguson of Zephyr, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Morton, Margaret and Angus.

A number from here attended the wedding on Saturday at Sharon Anglican church of Miss Jessie Petrie and George Cable of Newmarket military camp.

A miscellaneous shower was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Petrie on Wednesday evening of last week, in honor of their younger daughter, Jessie, a bride of last week, who received many useful and beautiful gifts.

Mrs. A. Dike and Mrs. Lorne Ganton attended the wedding on Saturday in Wesley United church of Miss Eulalie Kingston and Mr. Gardhouse of Weston.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Mount and Shirley, Newmarket, visited friends on the fourth line and attended the anniversary services on Sunday.

The church anniversary services were well attended and enjoyed by all. Church services will be held as usual next Sunday. The sacrament of the Lord's supper will be observed. The church service is at 9.45

victed of exceeding the speed limit by Magistrate Woodliffe. They were found travelling at speeds ranging from 42 miles an hour to 75 miles an hour.

St. J. Mann, Detroit, Michigan, was fined \$20 and costs; Bernard Breland, Kirkland Lake, \$15 and costs; William Garfat, Aurora, and Fendrich Cleaners, Toronto, \$10 and costs each; Canadian Breweries, Toronto, and Ruth Cerswell, Toronto, \$8 and costs each; W. Woolwich, Toronto, \$5 and costs; W. Minnie, Toronto, \$5 and costs; Waterloo, and Louis Soucoup, Toronto, \$5 and costs each; Nelson Bone, Barrie, Jean I. Fisher, Toronto, Lawrence Gilmour, Toronto, and Russell Leckie, Newmarket military camp, \$5 and costs each.

GATHER ALUMINUM



These youngsters were among the 400 school children who attended the recent Strand aluminum show. The boy at the left is Jack Stalley. Next is Arlene McTavish. Next, behind that saucy, is Marion Pickering.

Ravenshoe

The Ravenshoe United church anniversary services will be held on Sunday, Oct. 5. Dr. Archer Wallace, D.D., associate editor of Sunday-school publications for the United Church of Canada, will be the guest speaker. Services will be held at 11 a.m. and 7.30 p.m., standard time, and there will be special music by the choir.

On Monday evening, Oct. 6, a hot supper will be served in the church basement from 5 p.m. standard time, until all are served. Following this Dr. Archer Wallace will give an illustrated lecture on "Memories of the Motherland." There will be 100 beautiful slides shown, taken mostly from Dr. Wallace's own pictures.

HARVEST SERVICES
HELD AT ST. PAUL'S

The harvest Thanksgiving services last Sunday were well attended and the church looked specially beautiful with the harvest decorations.

The flowers on the altar and on the memorial tablet were magnificent gladioli, while little sheaves of grain marked each seat all down the church, and every window was decorated with grain and fruit and red berries. The font was crowned with a mass of autumn flowers, while at the base were fruit and vegetables and sheaves of grain. There were baskets of flowers all along the choir-stalls and huge stalks of Prince's plume at the sides.

In the morning Prof. Coggan, M.A., of Wycliffe College, Toronto, gave a most inspiring address. In the evening Capt. the Rev. H. C. Cox, M.A., M.C., of the local military camp, was the interesting speaker. The choir, under the direction of the rector, Rev. A. J. Patstone, rendered suitable music, with special anthems and the harvest hymns.

Era auction sale bills command attention and are produced at a low price which includes a sale notice in The Era.

a.m., with Sunday-school at 10.45.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Morris, Sandford, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Pegg, and attended the anniversary services.

SNOWBALL
W. I. HEARS TALK ON
"WHEN PEACE COMES"

The Women's Institute meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Ernest Copson on Wednesday afternoon of last week with the King City branch as guests. The program was in the charge of the visiting branch.

Mrs. Stewart presided. A splendid paper from their current event scrap book was given by Mrs. Norris. Mrs. Armstrong gave a very appropriate paper on "When Peace Comes." A piano solo by Mrs. Rawlings was much enjoyed by all.

The Snowball branch is sponsoring a progressive euchar and progressive crokinole party in aid of the British war victims, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Barrett on Wednesday, Oct. 1.

Mrs. Ernest Copson has received a telegram from her son, Pilot-Officer Robert Turp, stating he has arrived safely in Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hambleton, Miss Freda and Wayne of Newmarket were Sunday visitors of the Mills family.

The many friends of Mrs. Jennie Barr will regret to know she has not been so well the past few days.

Miss Gwen Copson and Miss Lois White are delegates to a nutrition course sponsored by the department of agriculture on Sept. 29 and 30 at Newmarket.

A hot turkey supper under the auspices of the United church is to be held in the church basement on Thursday evening, Oct. 16.

PRETTY AUTUMN
MARRIAGE HELD

A pretty autumn wedding was held in Orillia on Tuesday, Sept. 23, when Miss Velma Rebecca Prosser, R.N., of Newmarket, became the bride of Mr. John Berton Ennis of Newmarket.

The bride is the daughter of

LOCAL MARKET

Eggs were scarce on the local market on Saturday morning. They sold at 38 to 40 cents a dozen. Butter brought 38 and 40 cents a pound. Young chickens were 22 cents a pound.

Apples were 20 cents a six-quart basket, potatoes 20 cents, and tomatoes 20 cents a basket. Cauliflower were 8 to 15 cents each.

TORONTO MARKETS

Prices on the Toronto markets for butter, creamery solids, No. 1, were 33 1/2 cents a pound, and creamery prints, first grade, were quoted to retail trade at 35 cents a pound. Country dealers were quoted on graded eggs, cases free, delivered to Toronto, grade A large, 37 cents, A medium, 36 cents, and A pullets, 28 cents a dozen.

Nominal prices to the shipper for poultry were: spring broilers, 14 to 15 cents; 22 cents; spring chickens, 2 1/2 to 4 pounds, 18 cents a pound; fatted hens, 5 pounds and over, 21 cents a pound.

Prices in the cattle section were: weighty steers, \$8.50 to \$9.85; butcher steers and heifers, \$7.50 to \$9, with a few up to \$9.25. Choice veal calves sold at \$12.50 to \$13.50 for choice, with common selling downward to \$8.

Good ewe and wether lambs sold at \$10.75 to \$11, and hogs were \$11.75 dressed weight.

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the late Mrs. Johanna Prosser and Mr. P. Prosser of Orillia and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ennis of Orillia, at whose home the ceremony was performed, before an arch of autumn leaves with a background of gladioli.

Rev. Arthur Greer of Newmarket officiated and Miss Helen Murrell of Toronto was organist. Miss Gladys Prosser, sister of the bride, and Miss Betty Ennis, sister of the groom, both of Orillia, sang a duet during the ceremony.

Given in marriage by her uncle, Mr. Bert Murrell of Toronto, the bride was lovely in a heaven blue triple sheer street-length dress with wine accessories. She carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses.

Miss Mildred Prosser, sister of the bride, was the bridal attendant and wore a navy blue triple sheer frock with wine accessories and Tallman roses. Mr. James Ennis, brother of the groom, acted as best man.

Following the ceremony a reception was held when the groom's mother received, wearing grey figured sheer with black accessories and a corsage of red roses, assisted by the bride's sister, Miss Ariel Prosser of Newmarket, wearing rose crepe with matching accessories

TAKES CITY POSITION

Geraint Watson has accepted a position with the Flexible Locks Ltd. of Toronto.

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CHURCHES

CHRIST CHURCH
HOLLAND LANDING
Pastor: REV. A. J. FORTIE
Sunday, Oct. 5, 1941
Annual Harvest Thanksgiving service will be held at 7 p.m. S.T. Rev. Dr. R. C. Evans of Trinity college, Toronto, will be the guest speaker. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

CONGREGATIONAL-CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Pastor: REV. ARTHUR DRECH
HARVEST THANKSGIVING SUNDAY
Oct. 5, 1941
11 a.m.—"THE RAINBOW MESSAGE."
7 p.m.—"WHATEVER THE WEATHER MAY BE."
RALLY DAY IN THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.
Mr. Barrington will deliver a children's message. Session will be in the church auditorium at 2:30 p.m.

NEWMARKET GOSPEL TABERNACLE

12 Millard Ave.
Just west of Main St.
Pastor: REV. L. R. COUPLAND
Sunday, Oct. 5, 1941
10 a.m.—Sunday school
11 a.m.—Morning worship
7 p.m.—Evangelistic service
8:30 p.m.—Communion service
Pastor will preach at both services. Special music all day.
Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer and Bible study.
Friday, 8 p.m.—Young People's.
Don't try to be neutral towards Christ; it's impossible. Worship steadies the storm-tossed ship of the soul. Come to church.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Minister: REV. J. A. KOFFEND
Sunday, Oct. 5, 1941
11 a.m.—Holy Communion
2:30 p.m.—Sunday school
7 p.m.—Special musical service.
Newmarket Citizens' band in attendance.

TRINITY UNITED CHURCH

Pastor: DR. A. E. RUNNELLS
Sunday, Oct. 5, 1941
Guest preacher at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.
REV. JAMES FAULDS, M.A., D.D.
Fine music. Soldiers and visitors welcome.

Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. John Pinder, Sharon, wish to announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Ruth Lorraine, to Mr. Kenneth Gordon Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. G. Davis, Stouffville, Ont. The wedding to take place the middle of October.

WEDDINGS

ALLISON - RYE
At Toronto, Wednesday, Sept. 17, by Rev. James F. Gregory, Edna Lauretta Rye, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Rye, Holt, to George William Allison, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Allison, Mount Albert. They will reside in Mount Albert. Mr. Allison is well known as an athlete.

CROSBERRY - HASKILL

The marriage took place on Saturday in Toronto, by Rev. H. R. Hunt, of Dorothy May Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Haskill, to Mr. Benson Earl Crosberry, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Richard Crosberry, Sutton West.

In Memoriam

Brown—In loving memory of a dear husband, Joseph Watson Brown, who passed away Oct. 5, 1937.
He is gone, but not forgotten
And, as dawn another year,
In my lonely hours of thinking,
Thoughts of him are always near.
Days of sadness will come and go,
But his memory will be with me
Forever.
But his memory will be with me
Forever.
Fondly remembered by wife.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

—Mrs. Carl Archibald and family and Truoper Cecil Hoover of the Governor General's Horse Guards, Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Hoover last Thursday.
—Miss Ruth Elliott of Toronto spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Elliott.
—Mr. Charles Tynon of Collingwood is spending this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Gilmour.
—Mrs. W. S. Cowie of Toronto returned home this week after spending the past three weeks with her sister, Miss Margaret Gilmour.
—Adjutant and Mrs. Edward Broome, returned Salvation Army officers from Bermuda, were calling on friends in town over the weekend. Adjutant and Mrs. Broome were formerly in charge of the Salvation Army here. They will reside in Windsor.
—Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Robinson are spending a month holiday in California.
—Miss Dorothy Walby and a friend of Oakville were visitors of Mrs. Pat. Cullen on Sunday.
—Mrs. R. N. Marshall of Toronto is spending this week the guest of Mrs. Wm. Dixon.
—Mrs. John Ough of Kirkland Lake is visiting Mrs. Arthur Ough for a month or so.
—Mr. and Mrs. Archie McDonald of Lefroy were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dunn.
—Mr. and Mrs. A. J. King and little daughter, Catherine, of Toronto, were Sunday visitors of Mrs. King's mother, Mrs. Roy Watson.
—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Collins spent a few days over the weekend with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Russell

CHURCH BRIDAL IS PRETTY EVENT

St. Peter's Roman Catholic church, Toronto, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Saturday when Catherine Mary, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCaffrey, Newmarket, was united in marriage to Howard Edmund Dennis, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Dennis, Toronto.

EDNA BOYD IS BRIDE OF ALBERT WATTS

Christ Church, Roche's Point, was the scene of an interesting wedding on Saturday when Edna Margaret Louise Boyd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Calder Boyd, Roche's Point, became the bride of Albert George Watts, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Watts, Newmarket.

GERALDINE HOARE IS AUTUMN BRIDE

A quiet wedding was solemnized at Trinity College chapel, Toronto, on Thursday evening, Sept. 25, when Geraldine Hoare, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoare of Newmarket, became the bride of A. C. 2 Harold Alan Finnigan of the I.C.A.F., son of Mr. Percy Finnigan of London, Ont., and the late Mrs. Finnigan.

COUPLE WILL LIVE IN NEWMARKET

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hurrell, Richmond Hill, when their only daughter, Florian Isabelle, became the bride of William Murray Lepard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Lepard of Newmarket.

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And I hereby call upon all voters to take immediate proceedings to have any errors or omissions corrected according to law, the last day for appealing being the twenty-third day of October, A.D. 1941.
DATED at Newmarket this Second day of October, A.D. 1941.
N. L. Mathews,
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SHIP KNITTING QUOTA TO HEADQUARTERS

The Red Cross Society has recently shipped the following knitting quota to headquarters: 65 pairs two-way mitts, 15 sleeveless sweaters, 43 pairs whole mitts, three afghans, three khaki ribbed helmets, three afghan sweaters, 15 pairs air force flying mitts.
Mrs. Bond's group contributed three quilts and four women's nightdresses.

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1-2 LB. TIN 21c
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PRETTY CEREMONY HELD AT KETTER

Standards of blue and yellow gladioli decorated Ketters United church on Saturday afternoon for the marriage of Margaret Ella Sykes of Ketters, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sykes of Pennville, to Leland Vern Heacock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar M. Heacock.

LENDING LIBRARY NEWS

Campbell's lending library has been re-stocked with 100 books. Many of them are the best new fiction.
Due to the increased cost of library books the library rates are now four cents per day with a maximum charge of ten cents on all books.
Campbell's annual sale of library discounts will commence on Monday morning, Oct. 6. Books by your favorite authors will sell at 25 cents and 35 cents each. Adv.

CITIZENS' BAND WILL PLAY AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

In conjunction with a musical church service being held at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church on Sunday evening the Newmarket Citizens' band is presenting a program of sacred and selected music. The band will play at the regular service at 7 p.m.

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MILDRED SMITH WEDS W. M. EARL

A quiet wedding was performed in the presence of immediate relatives, on Saturday, Sept. 20, in Forest Hill United church, when Miss Mildred Suzanne Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smith of Newmarket, became the bride of Wellington Morris Earl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Morley Earl of Athens, Rev. R. H. V. Henderson officiated.

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3.	8.
4.	9.
5.	10.

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The missing "a's" reduced the number sending in correct answers to last week's contest. In addition, however, quite a number had some of the words incorrect and there were also a few sent in too late to count, that is, after 9:30 o'clock, D.S.T., on Tuesday morning.

There were 18 correct answers received on time.

The answers were: settee (several went astray here), complete, allowance, cabbage, varieties, eighth, dairy, privately, qualifications, oikake.

The five winners of double passes to the Strand theatre were drawn by Elnan Campbell, Newmarket merchant, as follows: Mrs. Delbert Graves, 16 Millard Ave., Newmarket, Mrs. W. Townsley, Newmarket, E. H. Cutting, Box 407, Newmarket, Della McKinley, Schomberg, and Stewart Stainon, 13 Niagara St., Newmarket.

These winners may choose between the show next Tuesday evening, with Greer Garson and Walter Pidgeon in the technical love story, "Blossoms in the Dust," and Sally Eilers and Don Woods in "I Was a Prisoner on Devil's Island," and next Thursday evening, when they may see Joan Crawford in the

much talked of picture, "A Woman's Face," and Joan Blondell and Dick Powell in "Model Wife." They may pick up their passes any evening at the theatre or on the night they attend.

THIS WEEK'S CONTEST
Five double passes will be given to five winners of this week's contest. They may choose between seeing Jas. Cagney and Bette Davis in "The Bride Came C.O.D." and "Parson of Panamint" on Tuesday, Oct. 14, or Billie Burke and Frank Morgan in "Hullabaloo" and Geraldine Fitzgerald and Jas. Stephenson in "Shining Victory" on Thursday, Oct. 16.

The contest is straightforward again this week—that is, it's all jumbled up, but with no catches to it. The ten jumbled words all appear in the classified ads. Here are the words: creebevasl, ceasr, essorave, pslepa, mervnago, riltoslaes, erosmor, cletx, nice, seredis, faafila.

If more than five send in correct sets of answers a Newmarket business man will be asked to draw the winners. If you have won before you have just as much chance as anyone else of winning again.

WANT-ADS

The rate for Want Ads is 25 cents for 25 words for one insertion; 40 cents for two insertions; 50 cents for three insertions. For over 25 words, each additional word, one insertion, one cent, additional insertions, one-half cent per insertion.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

For sale—John Draper farm, being part of lot 13, concession 5, North Gwillimbury, about five acres, with brick house and out-buildings. Must sell to close estate. Write H. R. Moss, 465 Bay St., Toronto. c1w35

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For rent—Upper duplex at 70 Bedford St. Six rooms, sunroom and bath. Hot water heating. Apply B. E. Lyons, 199 Main St. c1w35

WANTED TO BUY

Wanted to buy—2 tons of hay, clover or alfalfa. Phone 16111. c1w35

LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

For sale—Eleven young pigs, eight weeks old. Apply at 4 Ontario St. E. after 6 p.m. c1w35

FOR SALE

For sale—House and lot in the village of Sharon. Immediate possession. Apply Mrs. Wm. Eves, R.R. 1, Newmarket. c2w31

FOR RENT

For rent—Three or four heated rooms. Unfurnished or partly furnished. Central. Apply Era box 461. c1w35

BOARDERS WANTED

Boarders or roomers wanted—Apply 14 Tecumseh St. c1w35

BOARD WANTED

Room and board wanted—Gentleman desires warm room, board, bathroom facilities. State particulars. Write Era box 469. c1w35

FOR SALE

For sale—One pair growing girls brown kid shoes, size 5. Apply 127 Prospect Ave. c1w35

For sale—Snow apples. Apply Roy Coates, Queensville. c2w35

For sale—One slightly used 1940 Spartan electric radio. Cost \$80. Will sell for \$40. Can be seen and tried at Smith's Hardware. Apply E. Dennis, Newmarket. c2w35

For sale—Two steamer trunks. In good condition. Suitable for overseas. Also folding camp bed. Apply Mrs. Arthur Nicol, Aurora, or phone 115, Aurora. c1w35

AURORA Social AND Personal

Miss Joy McDonald of Toronto spent Sept. 21 with Mr. and Mrs. Orval Heath.

Mrs. Thomas Spence and family spent from Friday until Monday in Orillia.

Mr. and Mrs. William Buffan of Meaford spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. George Teasdale.

Miss Ruth Goodman of Toronto spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Goodman.

Miss Joan Dodson of Toronto spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dodson.

Mrs. Ella Green and Jean Powell spent the weekend with Mrs. Werden Leavens at Bolton.

Miss June Hill of Toronto spent the weekend with her aunt, Mrs. Bert Rowe.

Fred Waite, and his cousin, Douglas Lee, of Toronto, spent Sunday with Mrs. George Waite.

Miss P. Banbury of Toronto spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Banbury.

Mrs. George Hacking of Cobourg is visiting relatives in town.

Miss Marjorie Foy of Thessalon, Ont., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Foy.

Miss Rita DeLahaye of Toronto is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy DeLahaye.

Rev. C. A. Malloy attended Collingwood fair last Saturday.

Mrs. Leonard Chapman is visiting her parents at Hagersville, Ont.

Miss Hazel McBride of Moorefield spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville McBride.

Miss Betha Andrews of the staff of Honeywood C.S. spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. M. L. Andrews.

Miss Isabelle McLean and Mr. Frank Cook spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mann of Acton and Mrs. Albert Reesor of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James LaValle.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Preston of Toronto spent Sunday with Mrs. Preston, parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Bunn.

Mrs. Thomas Dann, president of the Aurora Red Cross, returned home from her trip to western Canada this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pullman and daughter, Sonya, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fingold.

Mr. John Rice of Toronto and his daughters, Miss Pauline Rice of New York, and Miss Guy Rice of Toronto, were in town last Thursday calling on relatives.

Mrs. Rice is a daughter of the late John Clubine, Aurora, one of the pioneers of the Armitage district. She is a sister of Mrs. Charles Murphy, whom she visited and an aunt of Mrs. Lorne Ellis and Mrs. Kenneth Rose on whom she also called.

INSTITUTE HOLDS TEA

The Aurora Women's Institute held a very successful tea last Thursday at the home of Mrs. G. A. C. Guntion.

Nearly \$15 was raised for Institute purposes.

The president, Mrs. William Saigle, and Mrs. Guntion poured tea, while assisting were Mrs. J. M. McDowell, Mrs. Harold Lubbock, Mrs. Roy Fierheller, Mrs. Charles Ellingworth, Mrs. Leslie Borden and Miss Margaret Saigle. A draw was made by the president, which was won by Mrs. Kenneth Babcock.

MINISTER AND WIFE HOLD "AT HOME"

Many Aurorians took the opportunity on Wednesday of last week to pay respects to and get acquainted with Rev. and Mrs. Roy Hicks of Aurora United church, who were at home in the afternoon and evening at the parsonage. Church officials of the various districts assisted in welcoming the guests.

TAKES TECHNICAL COURSE

Kenneth Brown of Oakridges, who has been employed by the Collis Leather Co. is taking a technical course under government supervision at Toronto Western Commerce school.

JOINS AIR FORCE

John Minton of Oakridges has joined the R.C.A.F. and is temporarily stationed at the R.C.A.F. training pool, Toronto.

WITH THE SOLDIERS

Cpl. Alfred Kirk of the R.C.A.F. Toronto, spent the weekend with his family.

Joseph McGhee of the R.C.A.F. Guelph, spent Sunday with his wife and parents.

Sgt. James Murray of the R.C.A. Toronto, accompanied by Sgt. Jas. McDonough of the same unit, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Murray.

Pilot Officer Robert Turp has arrived safely at Halifax, N.S.

Sgt. Douglas Richardson of the R.C.C.S., Ottawa, was in town over the weekend and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richardson, Vaudor.

Eric Bunn of the R.C.A.F. Toronto, spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bunn.

Aircraftman Howard Anderson returned to Claresholm, Alberta, on Sunday after spending ten days with his parents, "Andy" and "Ma" Bunn.

Pres. A. Vines and Robert Hodgkinson of the Hamilton trade training centre spent the weekend at their homes.

Troopers Thos. Raeside, Gordon Long, William Murgoff, Alf. Cooper and Doug. Macneil, of the 1st Hussars, regiment, Camp Borden, spent the weekend in town.

Albert Doolittle of the R.C.A.S.C. Brantford, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merremus Doolittle.

TEACHER WEDS AT WESLEY CHURCH

A picturesque ceremony took place on Saturday afternoon in Wesley United church, Vaudor, when Erma Eulalie Kingston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Kingston, Vaudor, became the bride of Arnold James Gardhouse, son of W. J. Gardhouse, M.L.A., and Mrs. Gardhouse, Thistleton.

Both bride and groom belong to pioneer Etobicoke families.

The lights from cathedral candles played over pink gladioli and fern while Rev. W. A. Westcott and Rev. R. G. Davidson officiated.

Mr. G. E. Richardson was at the organ and during the signing of the register, Miss Marie Love sang "O Perfect Love," the same selection as was used at the wedding of the bride's parents.

The bride entered the church on the arm of her father. She wore a long, flowing graceful gown of white triple sheer with high neckline, full sleeves and embroidered bodice. Her tulle veil was caught to her head by a five-pointed coronet of shirred tulle with seed pearl trim. She carried a garland bouquet of clustered gladioli petals, carnations and bouvardia.

Mrs. Charles Scott, the bride's sister, as matron of honor, and Miss Dora Cameron, bridesmaid, were gowned in blue net over taffeta, with matching shirred net, heart-shaped halos. Their bouquets were star-shaped and consisted of gladioli and Johanna Hill roses, with metallic ties.

The groom was attended by his brother, Mr. George Gardhouse, as best man. The ushers were John Porter, Charles Scott and Lorne Cousins.

The reception was held at Maple Grange Farm, home of the bride's parents. The bride's mother received her guests in a charming room of azure blue silk jersey with Crusader blue hat and accessories. Her corsage was sweetheart roses and brownia. Mrs. Gardhouse, mother of the groom, assisted, wearing a lovely gown of black marquisette with white trim, black hat and accessories, and corsage of white carnations.

Later the bride and groom left on a trip to Montreal and Quebec. For travelling the bride chose a timber green suit, brown squirrel trim, matching hat and brown accessories. She also wore a corsage and gold watch, the gift of the groom.

They will make their home at Westview Farm, Thistleton.

Before her marriage the bride was a member of the staff of Aurora public school.

ASSISTS AT SERVICE

Signalman Martin of Camp Borden, formerly of the Signal Corps, is being transferred to the chaplain service at Petawawa camp, spent the weekend with Rev. and Mrs. Roy Hicks and took part in the Sunday morning service at Aurora United church.

PULPIT LAMP PRESENTED

A full congregation attended the services at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church on Sunday.

A feature of the service was the presentation by the Willing Workers' Sunday-school class of a pulpit lamp. Rev. S. W. Hirtle, the pastor, placed the lamp on behalf of the church and extended thanks to the members of the class.

MEMBERS OF THE LADIES' AID OF ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH ARE PLANNING TO BRING GIFTS OF COCOA, CHOCOLATE BARS, NUTS, CANDY AND OTHER FOOD ITEMS TO THEIR MONTHLY MEETINGS. THE GIFTS WILL GO TO FORM BOXES OF FOOD TO BE SENT TO THE BOYS OF THE CHURCH WHO ARE SERVING OVERSEAS.

Following their regular meeting on Monday evening the members of the Aurora Baptist Y.P.U. held the election of officers, with Rev. A. E. Park presiding and Norman Eggar and John Dodd acting as scrutineers. Miss E. M. Blake was re-elected president and Sgt. Howard Hulme, a former member, now in England with the R.C.C.S., returned as vice-president.

The complete executive is composed of: president, Miss E. M. Blake; vice-president, Sgt. Howard Hulme; secretary, James McGhee; assistant secretary, Marie Hulme; treasurer, Patsy Guntion; pianist, Doris Borden; assistant pianist, Marjorie Rose; group leaders, devotional, Doris Whitlaw, service, Ruth Ross, fellowship, Mrs. Alau Billings, stewardship, Mrs. Howard Hulme, adult counsellor, Mrs. Joseph Stephenson.

An organization meeting of the church guild of Trinity Anglican church was held in the parish hall this afternoon.

On Monday afternoon Mrs. C. R. Boulding gave a tea to raise funds for the work of the Women's Auxiliary of Trinity Anglican church.

TRINITY MARKS

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and in 1862 the rectory was built by the joint charges of Aurora, King and Oakridges at a cost of \$3,000. The committee in charge were Dr. R. W. Hillary and John Field, Aurora, Fred. Page and Chas. Herswill, Oakridges, and George L. Gardwell and Thos. Armstrong, King. In 1877, Rev. A. J. Fidler was appointed to the parish and All Saints' church at King was restored. There was one service each Sunday at King and one in Aurora. The first pipe organ was installed in the local church at a cost of \$600.

The year 1875 saw Rev. Charles Patterson of Port Hope succeed Rev. Mr. Fidler. In this year King parish, which had flourished, was separated from the other two parishes. Reimbursement for King's share in the building was \$400. With King in his charge, two services each Sunday were held here by Mr. Patterson. He was a great preacher and filled the church each Sunday, so that it was considered necessary in 1880 to build a new church.

By 1881 the committee in charge and the rector had raised \$4,020. In September of that year Mr. Patterson died and later a memorial window was placed in the chancel wall by his family. For eight months supply ministers took the services. In April, 1882, Rev. E. H. Mussen was appointed.

On July 5, 1883, a church meeting decided to build the present structure and D. S. Pickworth of Warkworth was awarded the contract. M. E. Aylesworth, Collingwood, was the architect. It was at this period that many graves in the cemetery at the rear of the church were removed elsewhere. In July, 1883, the cornerstone was laid and on March 14, 1884, the church was formally opened by Rt. Rev. Archbishop Sweatman. The total cost of the church was \$7,200. Rev. Mr. Mussen was in charge for 15 years and in the 30's the old Maconic hall was purchased to become the first parish hall. On Nov. 15, 1897, it was officially opened by the archbishop. The debt on the church was also completely discharged.

In 1900 Mr. Mussen exchanged parishes with Rev. L. H. Kirkby of Collingwood. Last improvements were made under his guidance. In 1912 Rev. Gerald S. Despard of St. Anne's, Toronto, became rector. The following year improvements to the church were made including a new pipe organ. Andrew Carnegie, noted American philanthropist, contributed \$500. The finances of the church were now placed on a voluntary basis.

In April, 1917, Rev. P. R. Soanes of Chislehurst took charge of the parish, remaining 14 years. New fixtures were donated as memorials and the old furniture sent to the mission field. The parish hall was enlarged and improved to the extent of \$12,000. In 1930, the parish of St. John's, Oakridges, was transferred from Aurora to King parish. In 1930 Mr. Soanes resigned to take a post with the church in Toronto and the following year Rev. G. O. Lightbourn was named as his successor. Mr. Lightbourn resigned last year to become a chaplain with the R.C.A.F. The present incumbent, Rev. R. K. Perdue, came from Lakeview last autumn.

Parish records previous to 1878 are destroyed by fire, but records available show R. W. Hillary and John Field as church wardens in 1862. The present wardens are Lorne C. Lee and Martin Southwood. In the synod records of Trinity Anglican church at St. John's, Selwood is a member of the Ontario regiment (tanks).

SOLDIER'S SON BAPTIZED

Robert William, son of Pte. and Mrs. Gordon Selwood, was baptized by the Rev. R. K. Perdue at Trinity Anglican church on Sunday. Pte. Selwood is a member of the Ontario regiment (tanks).



Mr. and Mrs. William James Thompson were recently married at Trinity Anglican church, Aurora. The bride was formerly Miss Evelyn Heard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Heard of Aurora. She was prominent in the young people's work of Trinity church. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson are living in Toronto. Photo by Barrager Studios.

KATHLEEN BUNN HAS PRETTY WEDDING

The marriage took place at the home of the bride's parents, Aurora, on Saturday, of Kathleen Bunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bunn, to George Alfred Lloyd, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Lloyd, Temperanceville. Rev. T. R. White performed the ceremony amid a setting of garden flowers and ferns.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of blue wool with black accessories and carried a bouquet of Talisman roses. Her attendant, Miss Helen Evans, wore a dress of blue wool with black accessories and a nosegay of old-fashioned flowers.

Aubrey Lloyd, brother of the groom, was best man, while Miss Jean Smith played softly throughout the ceremony.

At the reception Mrs. Bunn wore a frock of blue tulle and a corsage of Briarcliff roses. Mrs. Lloyd, mother of the groom, was attired in a gown of teal blue crepe with a corsage of roses.

For travelling the bride wore a polo coat with brown accessories. Following a motor trip to Niagara the couple will live in Aurora.

JOINS TANK CORPS

Lloyd Palmer, former Aurora resident, has joined the Ontario regiment (tanks). He spent the weekend in town.

ACCEPTS OFFICE POSITION

Miss Christine Kirkwood has accepted an office position on the staff of the T. Sisman Shoe Company.

Calendar

A special thanksgiving service of the W.M.S. of Aurora United church is being held this evening in the church parlors.

Aurora high school field day will be held on Friday, Oct. 3, in the town park. A few events will be held in the morning, but the main events will start shortly after 1 p.m. N. F. Johnson will act as starter, with Wilfred Adams as timekeeper. Judges named for the races are: Fred Wilkinson, Ewart Jennings, Dr. J. L. Uguhart, T. A. M. Hulse and J. C. Brockton. Head clerks are Emmerson Jennings and Francis Cook. In addition to those named, 18 students make up an efficient auxiliary staff of judges and clerks. The Junior Red Cross will have a refreshment booth on the grounds.

Headmaster Joseph McCulley of Pickering college will speak at a Boy Scouts and Wolf Cubs service at the Baptist church on Sunday morning.

Rev. R. K. Perdue will preach at the harvest home services at St. John's church, Oakridges, on Sunday in the morning and at Weston in the evening. Rev. E. W. G. Worrall will take the morning service at Trinity church, Aurora, while Mr. Wynne Field of Weston will occupy the pulpit at the evening service.

On Sunday morning at Aurora United church the World-wide Communion service will be observed at the church.

The Girl Guides will hold their opening meeting on Monday at 6:45 p.m., sharp. Any girls from 11 to 16 years who wish to join please come to this meeting in Trinity hall.

Next Wednesday evening the Aurora Red Cross are holding a dance, euchre and bridge in Mechanics' Hall, commencing at 8 p.m. The entire proceeds will be used to purchase Christmas boxes for Aurora boys serving overseas.

Next Thursday afternoon the W.A. of Aurora United church are holding an imaginary bazaar and afternoon tea in the Sunday-school room. In place of purchasing real gifts, the ladies will contribute the amount they ordinarily would have expended at a real bazaar for church purposes.

Trinity Marks 95th Birthday, Present Church Built In 1883

The 95th anniversary of Trinity Anglican church, which was formally opened on Sept. 27, 1846, was marked on Sunday.

Actually, the first Church of England services in Aurora were held in May, 1843, on Ascension Sunday in the home of John Mosley, Yonge St., with Rev. George Street, incumbent at St. Paul's church, Newmarket, taking the service. For three years without any remuneration Mr. Street preached on alternate Sundays in Aurora, with the services being held in Mr. Mosley's home or in the vacant store owned by Aaron Playter.

In May, 1845, a public meeting was held to consider the building of a church. A casual visitor to Aurora, which was then known as Macchell's Corners, Rev. Mr. Leach of McGill College, presided and \$120 was subscribed to start the first building fund. Bit by bit subscriptions were received from the villagers, from Toronto and from England. The construction was done piecemeal, the timbers, rafters and lumber being cut in neighboring woods and hauled to the present site.

A "bee" very so often completed the edifice upon the land donated by Mr. Mosley. The original structure was frame and on the opening Sunday Rev. Mr. Cochrane of the Red River settlement was the special preacher. There were no elaborate fixtures or furniture for the people. The common deal desks covered with burlap, rough benches and even boards served as a substitute for these. Mr. Street continued to preach free of charge and Mr. Mosley contributed in all, besides land, \$1,200 up to 1861, for which he wrote, "I do not wish to make any claim to be remembered. On the contrary I thank God that I have been enabled out of my slender means to do as much for the church of my choice."

In August, 1848, Rev. S. F. Ramsay of Newmarket became rector and it was during his incumbency that the interior of the church was beautified. There were services every Sunday and Mr. Ramsay, who remained 11 years, received a salary the last eight years only. At first seven pounds, later 25 pounds.

In December, 1859, Rev. H. W. Stewart was appointed missionary to Aurora, Oakridges and parts adjacent. In July, 1861, he died and was succeeded by Rev. J. H. McCollum of Trinity College, Dublin. With a regular minister here the question of a parish house arose (Page 5A, Col. 4)

Honor Memory Of Outstanding Churchman

Miss Anna Duffin, the Christian Culture convener, was in charge of the meeting of the Young People's Society of Aurora United church on Monday evening. Mary Bowman gave a reading on the life and work of John Greenleaf Whittier, author of the hymn, "Dear Lord and Father of Mankind."

Through the courtesy of the C.P.R. Rev. Roy Hicks showed pictures of Banff. He also showed a picture on skiing.

A resolution regarding the late Rev. F. C. Stephenson, M.D., D.D., was moved by Rev. Thomas R. White and seconded by Dr. Arnold Miller and carried. Dr. Stephenson, who died recently, was a former member of Aurora United church. It read as follows:

"That this Young People's Society of Aurora United church places on record its appreciation of the life and work of the late Reverend Frederick C. Stephenson, medical doctor, and doctor of divinity, of the United Church of Canada."

FORMER AURORA PASTOR WILL GIVE Y.P.U. ADDRESS

Rev. J. Stanley Glen, pastor of Glenview Presbyterian church, Toronto, and formerly pastor of St. Andrew's church, Aurora, will be the theme speaker on the subject, "Christ—Our Life," at the eighth annual Ontario Presbyterian Y.P.U. convention to be held at Guelph next week.

FORMER AHS. STUDENT JOINS AIR FORCE

John Minton, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Minton, Aurora, R.R. 2, who formerly attended high school here, has joined the R.C.A.F. and is stationed at the training pool, Toronto.

Yorks Attend Drumhead Service in Toronto

C company of the Queen's York Rangers, along with the entire battalion, under the command of Major D. O. Mungovan, attended the drumhead service and parade of the Swansons Canadian Legion at Rennie Park, Swansons, on Sunday.

The route included Windermere, Eloor and Runnymede streets in Toronto and on the return march from the service Capt. W. J. Shirley, V.C., took the salute. Taking part in the parade, which was headed by the Yorks, were Mount Dennis, Swansons, Weston and Silverthorn Legions, Boy Scouts, the Legion of Frontiersmen, and various ladies' organizations. At the park Warden C. C. Downey, reeve of Swansons, extended a civic welcome, while Zone Commander W. G. Beach of the Canadian Legion and Capt. Rev. W. J. Shirley, V.C., of the Queen's Yorks, and Lieut. F. Wren of the Salvation Army took part in the service.

SPORTSMAN JOINS ARMY

Eddie Graham, well-known Aurora sportsman and an employee of the Collis Leather Company has gone on active service with the Ontario regiment, an armored unit, and he is temporarily stationed in Toronto.

Eddie is a veteran of the Great War, being with the 85th battalion from Montreal while in his army at the close of the war. Until his enlistment he had been a member of the 2nd Irish regiment (reserve).

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IS R.C.A.F. OFFICER



Pilot-Officer Robert Turp, recently made an R.C.A.F. officer, is a graduate of Aurora high school and is a fine singer. He has won awards at the York and Peel music festivals. He expects to go overseas shortly. His home is in Snowball, King township. Photo by Barrager Studios.

INQUEST POSTPONED

Owing to the illness of Coroner Dr. C. J. Devins the inquest into the death of the late Richard Pugh was not held on Monday evening. It is expected to be held early next week.

POP DOESN'T IMPROVE

Major W. H. Taylor, veteran Aurora assessor, has just completed his 16th consecutive roll, which will be presented to the council on Oct. 6.

Total assessment for the year amounts to \$1,624,443, an increase of \$12,143 over last year.

"There are practically no vacant houses in town," Major Taylor told The Era. "There have been quite a few changes in the population."

Population figures on the assessment roll show 2,568, an increase of three over last year. Ottawa's census figures show a population of only 2,709, a difference of 56 persons. According to government figures this is an increase of 122 in 10 years, as the census of 1931 showed Aurora with a population of 2,587.

According to the assessor's computation, there are 576 school children, an increase of 36 over last year.

Dogs show a total of 173, an increase of ten over last year. Male dogs outnumber the females seven to one.

Aurora is a healthy place to live if figures of the aged are considered. There are six persons resident in town over 90 years of age, Mrs. Ellen Pearson being the oldest resident. There are also 50 persons over the age of 80.

Mr. Taylor's enlistment figures show 81 men on active service. This does not include, however, those under 21 years of age, nor does it include persons who enlisted from here who had no permanent abode here or those who enlisted and whose families have moved elsewhere. Unofficially, it is estimated that there are over 100 men from Aurora on active service. This does not include enlistments of men living outside town limits or some Aurora boys living elsewhere.

Transformer Blow-Out Causes Black-Out

A transformer on Ranson St. blew out on Tuesday evening, plunging that section of the town in darkness while repairs were made. On Wednesday morning a new transformer was installed, the power being off for about half an hour.

OFFICERS FOR "LIT" SOCIETY NOMINATED

Miss Gladys Humphries was named honorary president of Aurora high school literary society, replacing B. T. O'Brien, but all other officers will be keenly contested in an election to be held simultaneously with the cross country run, tentatively set for Oct. 10.

There is a three-cornered fight for the three major offices, with the following being nominated: for president, Douglas Nisbet, Harold Oliver, Bill Thompson; vice-president, Mary Bowman, Doris Geer, Betty Prentice; secretary, Dorothy Aldrich, Shirley Fingold, Bill Babcock; treasurer, Anson Gilbert, Barbara Brown and George King.

IS JUDGING AT FAIRS

Elton Armstrong, president of the Aurora horse show, judged the heavy horse classes at Collingwood on Saturday and this week is judging the same classes at Meaford fair.

TAKES POSITION IN BANK

Miss Barbara Grimes has accepted a position on the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce here.

Boys 16 And 17 Invited To Train As Signallers

The Queen's York Rangers (1st American Regt.) (M.G.) is officially the county regiment. The commanding officer, Lieut.-Col. John Hyde Bennett, proposes to make the regiment more truly representative of the county, by raising and locating more of the regiment in the county itself.

As part of this plan a signal platoon and later a whole company is to be raised in Aurora and vicinity. In the past Aurora furnished an important part of the county regiment and should again fill her rightful place.

Membership in the reserve militia offers, among others, the following advantages:

1. An opportunity to serve your country, by assisting to increase its military strength at a time when such strength is urgently needed.
2. Service in the reserves need not interfere unduly with your civilian occupation.
3. Training and discipline are invaluable if a man is to be master of himself and at the same time fit properly into a democracy.
4. A well-organized and enthusiastic unit supplies an opportunity for comradeship, and the forming of new relationships with your fellows which cannot help but broaden your outlook on life.

There is a further consideration. Signalling is of a lighter physical character and boys of 16 and 17 years can enlist as boys (with their parents' consent) without fear of finding the training too strenuous.

Further, a period of two weeks at camp in the summer with pay makes a worthwhile experience.

Those who are interested should see Capt. N. F. Johnson (signal officer, Queen's York Rangers) for further information, at Aurora armories between 8 and 9 o'clock on Thursday evenings or at any other time possible.

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AIRCRAFT PARTS FIRM WILL BE ESTABLISHED

The Aurora Engineering Company, Aurora's newest industry, expects to install most of its machinery next week, and to be in operation around the end of October.

The company, which is in the process of obtaining a provincial charter, last week took a three-year lease on the central part of the plant owned by Councillor A. A. Cook, known as the old match factory.

The president is Harold E. MacPherson, who has been connected with the Clyde Aircraft Company at Collingwood, and has had considerable experience in the manufacture of aircraft parts. Jack Ackerman of Belleville, once a student at St. Andrew's College, is the secretary-treasurer.

The company plans to make aircraft parts and to do general machine work. It is understood that the company have substantial orders assured and a steady market for their products.

Nephew Said Missing Is Prisoner Of War

Mrs. Ernest English on Monday received a telephone call from her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. B. Delorme of Hamilton, advising her that Pilot Officer Paul Delorme, Mrs. Delorme's son, and the nephew of Mrs. English, who was reported missing overseas a few weeks ago, are alive and apparently well.

According to reports young Delorme, who was flying a fighter plane, was shot down in action over the English channel but was picked up by the enemy and is now a prisoner of war of the Germans. The news was cabled home by Surgeon Lieut. E. J. Delorme, brother of the missing pilot, in a tragedy, who after seeing service on the high seas with the navy, has now received a post at a hospital in England. Fuller reports concerning his brother are being forwarded by Lieut. Delorme.

Rural Children Receive Diphtheria Protection

Dr. G. W. Williams of Aurora, M.O.H. for Whitechurch township, was a busy man last Saturday as no less than 150 children came to the township clinic at Vaudor for toxoiding against diphtheria.

TAKES STORE POSITION

Miss Marian Bolton of Niagara Falls, former local resident, has returned to Aurora to accept a position with an Aurora store.

ATTEND NUTRITION COURSE

Miss Gwen Copson and Miss Laura Line Manning of Snowball attended the nutrition course sponsored by the department of agriculture and held at Newmarket this week. Mrs. Ed. Reddick and Mrs. Norval Mitchell also attended.

GATHERINGS POSTPONED BY ILLNESS AT COLLEGE

Owing to illness at the college all athletic contests and social events scheduled for St. Andrew's College or for the college teams have been suspended for this week. Next week the Athletics hope to resume their regular full program.

TAKES TECHNICAL TRAINING

Kenneth Brown, formerly employed by the Collis Leather Company, is taking a government sponsored course at Toronto Western technical school.

PICKS VIOLET FROM GARDEN ON OCT. 1

Mrs. Orval Henth has a violet in full bloom which she picked from her garden on Wednesday, Oct. 1. No other violets have been seen since early July. Several more violet blooms are showing in her garden.

Going Somewhere?

**BUSES LEAVE
NEWMARKET**
(Eastern Standard Time)

a 6:25 a.m.	b 7:35 a.m.
c 8:05 a.m.	d 9:15 a.m.
e 11:45 a.m.	f 12:50 p.m.
g 2:10 p.m.	h 4:30 p.m.
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TORONTO

a 6:10 a.m.	b 7:15 a.m.
c 8:30 a.m.	d 9:40 a.m.
e 12:25 p.m.	f 12:55 p.m.
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i 6:40 p.m.	j 8:00 p.m.

10:00 p.m.

a—Daily ex. Sun. & Hol.; b—Daily ex. Sat., Sun. & Hol.; c—Sun. & Hol. only; d—Sat. only; e—Fri., Sat., Sun. & Hol.

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Recruits Wanted

for the
QUEEN'S YORK RANGERS (1ST AMER. REG'T.) (M.G.) (C.A.) (R.)

C Coy. of the county unit, which includes boys from Newmarket, Aurora and Richmond Hill, has lost over 70 men to the active forces of the Canadian army in recent months. As a result there are vacancies in each of the local platoons.

Boys 18 and 19 years of good physique and some older men will be accepted. This provides a splendid opportunity for young men of this district to learn basic training in Rifle, Light and Medium Machine-Gun, Defence against Gas, Map-Reading, etc.

APPLY TO
No. 10 PL. (NEWMARKET): LT. R. B. CANHAM; SGT. J. C. HAMILTON;
No. 11 PL. (AURORA AND RICHMOND HILL): LT. EARL BALES, LANSING;
SGT. T. A. M. HULSE, AURORA;
No. 12 PL. (NEWMARKET): LT. K. M. R. STIVER; SGT. JOCK CHOPPIN;
OR APPLY AT AURORA ARMOURIES THURSDAY NIGHTS.



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**Wind Wreaks Havoc,
Blows Down Apples**

The tornado of last Thursday left havoc in its train. Trees were blown down, shingles blown off barns, doors and windows blown out and smashed. The greater part of the apple crop came down.

Debris was strewn all around, firewood was provided and strewn branches may have caused some accidents.

Mrs. Walter Gollaty, who is supporting at Jamieson school, was leaving the school to catch the high school bus half a mile away when she tripped, fell and cut her face and suffered a long gash on her knee. She was attended by a doctor in Schomberg, who put in five stitches to close the knee wound. She is confined to her bed, suffering from shock and bruises.

Miss Elizabeth McClure, the teacher at Eversley, sprained an ankle on Friday night, but expected to be back at work this week.

Miss Lena Cairns, who fell going down cellar, was taken to York county hospital, with it is feared, a broken shoulder. Her father, Mr. John Cairns, has been very ill for some time and

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It was a great occasion, and father looked on with an amused smile, while his eldest son, aged 16, had his first shave.

After a great deal of lathering he picked up his new patent razor and began to scrape. Finally, he rinsed the soap from his face, and caressed his chin with his hand.

"That's better," he murmured proudly.

His father handed the boy a blade. "You've forgotten to use this," he said blandly.

DOWN THE CENTRE

Hughie changed his mind. We refer, of course, to Hugh "Scotty" Mair, the Aurora-Newmarket senior A right wing star. Last week, after sorting over offers of various positions, Mair was all set to take up residence in St. Catharines. Come the end of the week and the soft words of Ed. Wilkey, mentor of Young Rangers, and on Monday of this week Hughie left for Montreal where he will play with the newly formed Montreal Pats in the Quebec senior league.

Leo, Heffernan, in his day a stand-out hockey player and in the last ten years one of the ranking referees in Canada, is coach of the club, who will battle it with Royals and Verdun, their city rivals, and Wilkey apparently is chief Ontario scout. Wade of Young Rangers left with Mair, and others are due to follow. He received leave of absence from the Queen's York Rangers and will drill with a Montreal reserve unit.

Sadness entered the ranks of cyclists throughout Ontario and their followers with the news that Lionel Coleman of Hamilton had been awarded a C.A.M. man, Olympic rider, featured the races in Newmarket a couple of years ago and was intending to ride in the races here on Thanksgiving day. The boys in Aurora and Newmarket who knew him all pay tribute to his sportsmanship.

Bradford are readying themselves with a strong team being lined up to defend their O.R.H.A. title. We wouldn't be surprised either, if they took a crack at O.H.A. hockey if there is sufficient competition in the vicinity.

Bryan Sharpless, who featured many a hardball game for Richmond Hill and also was a high school athletic star about 15 years ago, is now on active service with the R.C.A.F. He has an administrative post. His brother, Herbie Sharpless, played hardball here in 1931-32.

Fled days are popping up this week with amazing rapidity. Yesterday Richmond Hill high had their meet, today it's Markham. Friday, if you so desire, you can catch an eye-ful at the town park when Aurora stages their annual thriller. Saturday, if that isn't enough, or you miss the one you can amble down to De Lu Salle to see some pretty fine competition, minus, of course "la femme" angle, on college hill.

Robert Hacking, who is a staff sergeant with the R.C.A.F., and is at the Toronto training pool, competed in the air force games on Saturday and secured a third place in the discus throw against strong competition. Bob, who was an all-round athlete at the local high school and played junior hockey here, has been out of competition for quite awhile, too. When the Duke of Kent was in Toronto Bob attempted to snap his highness as he entered the sergeants' quarters, much to the dismay of Canadian officers. The duke spotted the attempt and eased the situation by suggesting Hacking take a picture of the entire group. It is one of Bob's most cherished possessions now.

Hockey is beginning to come into the picture locally and President J. B. Walker is contemplating a general meeting soon. Meanwhile, steps are being taken to take stock of the material on hand.

Newmarket sportsmen will be invited to attend the local meeting, since it now seems apparent that the Redmen will not be playing in the junior series this season.

Charlie Rowntree, who, along with Bert Tunney, Charlie Malloy and Ewart Pinder, was largely responsible for putting Aurora on the hockey map, has indicated his willingness to take charge of an Aurora team again and he will be greeted with open arms by both players and fans for everybody in Aurora has a warm spot in their hearts for the genial Rowntree, a master at getting the most out of his charges.

The locals are also interested in securing the services of Myles MacInnis, Merv Broughton and others of the surviving junior Redmen. There is no doubt about it that an amalgamation of the two teams would be a good thing. Without any difficulty at all there is enough material around Newmarket and Aurora for a cracking intermediate team and if the countydowners enter that series they can depend on full co-operation from the Aurora district. Bruce Stephens, George Stark, Eric Blinborough, Mel Rogers, Jack Wheeler, Del Beaumont, Ross Tunbridge and Waddell are among the Aurora boys eligible to play this year, although one or two may seek their release.

Owen Johnston of Tigers of '30, Wyatt Sagle, Whitney Jones, Vic Leone and Mickey Sutton are some of the lads who are considered as potential candidates for this year's team. All five should be able to make the grade with a little coaching. There is plenty of material on hand, and as the treasurer, N. G. "Punch" deVeneret, says, "If we could say the same about money, everything would be perfect." However, things can be depended upon to iron themselves out nicely once they get under way, and it won't be long now.

Bill Hewitt has sent word to all the clubs that the Dominion government's 20 per cent excise tax on amusements does not apply to O.H.A. and C.A.H.A. games which is certainly good news for the executive committee and the fans. A cut from the gates or increased prices would not be a good thing for hockey in small-town Ontario.

A tax on playing certificates of \$1 each is being suggested in certain quarters as a gift from the O.H.A. to some patriotic fund. The idea is a good one, but so far no teams outside of the artificial ice centres go it would be a real hardship. Last year, for instance, Aurora had over 20 players signed. Some, of course, only played the odd game, but a tax of \$1 on each one of those would have meant the loss of at least one and, judging by at least three of the home gates, two of the club's takes at the gate. We imagine the idea will be killed at the annual meeting.

A benefit game by each club is a better idea. That puts it squarely up to the fans to do their part, and not three or four harassed

POTTAGEVILLE
**West-Wood Nuptials
Held At Pottageville**

The ladies met at the church on Tuesday of last week to get it ready for a wedding and Thanksgiving services.

Mr. Boyd Paton of Toronto was home over the weekend.

On Saturday evening at 7 o'clock in Pottageville United church, Lucille Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. Wood of Brownsville, became the bride of Frederick West, son of Mr. and Mrs. George West of Pottageville. The marriage was solemnized by Rev. W. J. Burton of Kettleby. Miss Doris Geer played the wedding music.

The bride entered the church on the arm of her brother, Corporal Harry Wood. She was dressed in a dark blue suit and hat to match and carried a bouquet of roses. The bridesmaids were Miss Joyce Blackmore of Hamilton, wearing a brown suit and hat and Miss Kathleen West, sister of the groom, in a mauve suit and black hat. They both carried autumn bouquets. Mr. Kenneth West, brother of the groom, was best man.

The church was lovely with gladioli, ferns and asters.

The reception was held at the home of the groom's parents. The groom's mother received the guests gowning in black sheer and the mother of the bride was gowning in blue sheer. About 50 guests sat down to a lovely buffet lunch. Rev. Mr. Burton made a toast to the bride and groom.

The happy couple left amid showers of confetti for a short trip. The guests were from Brownsville, Hamilton, Long Branch, Toronto and Pottageville. On their return they will reside in Hamilton.

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SCHOMBERG
**Ellen Louisa Kennedy
Wins Baby Show Prize**

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kaake were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Webster on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Clarke and son of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. G. Farquhar.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hagaley and baby visited relatives in King on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wanchape visited Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McCowan on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Marshall and family of King were guests of Mrs. W. McKinley during the fair.

Mrs. Frank Burnett and daughter of Richmond Hill visited Mrs. E. Atchison and Mrs. H. Carr on Tuesday.

Mrs. Lloyd Cunningham and daughter of Barrie spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Winter.

Miss Mabel Skinner of Islington spent the weekend with her sister, Miss A. Skinner.

Miss Kathleen McKay of Mimico spent the weekend with friends here.

Misses Rhena and Uberta Hagaley were in Toronto on Saturday evening attending their cousin's wedding.

Mr. A. Piercy of Weston spent the weekend with friends at Schomberg and Lloydstown.

The community extends sympathy to Mr. F. and Miss K. Porter who received word on Thursday of the death of their brother-in-law, who was killed in an accident at Huntsville.

Mr. Ed. Abbott and Miss Margaret Abbott of Toronto spent Sunday with their parents, Rev. and Mrs. F. V. Abbott.

The Harvest Thanksgiving services of St. Mary Magdalene's church, Schomberg, were held on Sunday. The church was

POTTAGEVILLE
**FAMILY GATHERS
FOR 77TH BIRTHDAY**

Mr. Robert Cook, a life-long resident of this district, celebrated his 77th birthday last Thursday. A birthday party was held at his home here. All immediate members of his family were present, also his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George Walker of Mount Albert, and his sister-in-law,

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Wife: "You mean the idea of getting the office to deduct a regular amount each week from your salary?"

Husband: "Yes! And how they're mounting up! Quite a nest-egg when you count the interest they're earning."

Wife: "Well the more the merrier, I say! There are lots of things we'll need the money for, as the years roll by!"

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 nity is extended to Mr. and Mrs.
 Chapelle on the sudden death of
 their son, Herbert, who died on
 Sunday.

Mr. Norman Ley, Miss Ene-
 lene Ley and Miss Marjorie Cry-
 derman visited Miss Marian Cry-
 derman at Mrs. M. Munro's
 home on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Brown
 celebrated their fourth wedding
 anniversary last Thursday.

Mr. Lorne Han and Miss Jean
 Brown visited in Markham over
 the weekend.

The community is sorry to lose
 Mr. and Mrs. John Hopkins, who
 are moving to Keswick.

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 ville, 11 years old on Sunday,
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David Bastedo, Newmarket,
 six years old on Thursday, Oct. 2.

Eleanor Smith, Newmarket,
 seven years old on Saturday,
 Oct. 4.

Use the coupon above to send
 in your name and birthday and
 become a member of the birth-
 day club.

Pupils of Hope school, S. S.
 No. 11, East Gwillimbury, have
 this week become members of
 the club.

BELHAVEN

On Friday evening, Oct. 2, the
 North Gwillimbury Red Cross is
 holding a social evening and
 dance in the community hall,
 Belhaven. Everyone is invited.
 The purpose of this evening's
 entertainment is to raise funds
 for continued Red Cross work of
 various kinds.

Two days of last week the
 ladies met and quilted several
 quilts and made several sets of
 pyjamas. These will be lovely
 and comfortable garments for
 winter. The last Wednesday
 and Thursday of October will be
 set aside for Red Cross work. It
 is hoped that every woman who
 can will come to these meetings
 and help along the good work
 to help war victims.

On Oct. 14 at 2:30 p.m. the
 branch institutes plan to meet in
 the community hall, in connec-
 tion with Red Cross work. Mrs.
 Stephenson is expected to be the
 speaker. Lunch will be served
 at the close of the meeting.

Elmhurst Beach

Mr. and Mrs. McCrea and
 Miss Simpson and Mr. Crosby,
 of Toronto, Miss Johnson of Winni-
 peg and Mr. and Mrs. Wilson
 of Kitchener spent Sunday with
 Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Pollock.

Mr. Robert Pollock has gone
 to Oshawa to take a position.
 Mrs. Coulson Cameron is in
 Toronto this week attending the
 grand chapter of the Order of
 the Eastern Star at the Royal
 York hotel.

The Elmhurst Beach Women's
 Institute will meet at the home
 of Mrs. L. B. Pollock on Oct. 8
 and Roche's Point Institute will
 be their guests.

Victor Sturdy of Camp
 Borden spent a few days with
 his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sturdy,
 recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Harron
 and Miss Florence Waldon of
 Toronto spent the weekend with
 their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I.
 Waldon.

Maple Hill

There was a good attendance
 at Maple Hill Sunday-school last
 Sunday. There will be a special
 collection taken next Sunday to
 send 1,000 letters to French-
 speaking people in Quebec, con-
 taining a tract and little card,
 which, if they sign their name
 and send in, they will receive a
 new French testament free. Rev.
 A. E. McAsh hopes to do a real
 home mission work this way.

The district association meet-
 ing is being held at Stouffville
 this Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Knights
 spent Sunday at Langstaff visit-
 ing Mr. and Mrs. Donald Marritt
 and were also at the home of
 Mr. Cafferine for tea.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knights
 and family spent Sunday at the
 home of Mr. Wm. McGill.

Rev. Mr. McAsh spent Monday
 and Tuesday in Toronto.

Mount Pleasant

The lovely September weather
 is now ending with rain.
 Miss Iva Stiles, R.N., has
 accepted a position at Midland
 hospital.

Jack Bosworth has had great
 success with the growing of
 cucumbers for the pickling fac-
 tories.

Tpr. Glenn Davidson of Tor-
 onto, with his wife, visited at
 the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robt.
 Davidson last Thursday. The
 former, who was on embarkation
 leave, also called on his sisters
 and brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Davidson
 spent Monday evening at the
 home of Mr. Levi Ley.

Quite a number from here
 attended the Bethel church ser-
 vices last Sunday evening. The
 Mount Pleasant services, which
 have been held in the morning
 during the summer, will now be
 held at 2 p.m., standard time.

Quite a number attended the
 Ladies' Aid meeting at Mrs.
 Ley's home last Friday evening.

To assure the success of a
 farm sale have the list printed
 in The Era.

NORTH GWILLIMBURY

Make 12 Quilts At Red Cross Sewing Bee

The two days' sewing and
 quilting for the Red Cross held
 in the township hall on Sept. 24
 and 25 netted a fine lot of
 work, 12 quilts, 10 pairs of
 women's slacks and two women's
 blouses. The attendance both
 days, while satisfactory, did not
 yet reach what the committee
 feels it should, i.e., that every
 woman in the township should
 be in attendance at least part
 time on either day. The social
 time enjoyed at the lunch hour
 and afternoon tea period add to
 the enjoyment of the day's work.

The next sewing days are to
 be on Oct. 29 and 30 and anyone
 who can is urged to be present.
 If one cannot sew or quilt there
 are numerous other small but
 much-needed jobs to be done in
 order that the whole can run
 smoothly. Transportation is also
 asked from anyone willing and
 able to drive.

There are being placed in all
 the business places in the town-
 ship glass containers for money
 for cigarettes for the boys of this
 township. It is hoped that the
 men will share their smokes
 with these lads. Other donations
 will be accepted for this fund by
 Messrs. Mahoney and Davison.

The sewing days for Septem-
 ber were in the charge of the
 Elmhurst ladies. In October
 they will be in the charge of the
 Ravenshoe ladies.

Everyone is invited to the
 township hall on Friday evening,
 Oct. 5, to a euchre and dance.
 Cards begin at 8:30 p.m., stand-
 ard time. Funds from this even-
 ing will be used toward the
 Christmas overseas boxes for the
 boys. A good orchestra will be
 in attendance. Ladies are asked
 to provide.

SHARON

ONE HUNDRED ATTEND TEA FOR RED CROSS

Mrs. Arthur D. Evans opened
 her home for a tea sponsored by
 the Sharon unit of the township
 Red Cross on Saturday after-
 noon.

Mrs. Evans and Mrs. Frank
 Tate received the guests in the
 living-room, assisted by Mrs. R.
 J. Rogers, Mrs. E. F. Ramsay
 and Mrs. T. Collins presided at
 the tea-table, assisted by Mrs. S.
 Osborne, Mrs. E. Fry, Mrs. A.
 Shaw, Miss K. Grose and Miss
 Agnes Wilmut. About 100 guests
 enjoyed the afternoon.

The event netted the society \$40.
 Sharon unit were grateful to all
 those who contributed through
 donations of baking, etc., and to
 the many ladies who helped in
 various ways to make the affair
 so successful.

On Tuesday afternoon mem-
 bers of the Red Cross met from
 all over the township to pack
 Christmas boxes for 24 of the
 township boys who are serving
 overseas. Mount Albert Insti-
 tute donated delicious Christmas
 cakes, Sharon Institute canned
 sausage and Queensville Institute
 two large chocolate bars for each
 box. Cash contributions were
 also received from various
 sources. The branch feels that
 this work is most worthwhile, as
 some of the boys will not receive
 gifts from many sources.

A beautiful crocheted table
 cover has been donated to Mount
 Albert unit by Mrs. Rennie, Sr.,
 on which to raise money for Red
 Cross work.

Mrs. Merton Shaw of Hamilton
 spent the weekend with the
 Shaw family here. Miss Nora
 Shaw returned with her to Ham-
 ilton for a short vacation.

A large number from the vil-
 lage attended the successful Red
 Cross tea held at the home of
 Mrs. Arthur Evans on Saturday.

The sacrament of the Lord's
 supper will be dispensed at the
 service in the United church on
 Sunday at 7:30 p.m. This is a
 world-wide communion Sunday
 and again a call goes out to the
 people to reconsecrate them-
 selves.

Dr. and Mrs. D. R. Fletcher of
 Whitby visited at the home of
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tate on Sun-
 day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ab. Hillaby and
 Mr. and Mrs. Alan Shaw called
 on Rev. and Mrs. A. M. Part-
 ridge on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. York and
 Mrs. Harris of London spent a
 day last week with Mrs. York's
 sister, Mrs. Wilfred Fountain,
 who has been ill for the last
 few weeks.

Mrs. Effie Grills of Toronto
 spent last week at the home of
 Mr. and Mrs. Murray Barnum.

Mr. and Mrs. Ren. Goodwin of
 Listowel called on Mr. and Mrs.
 Frank Tate on Saturday evening.

Miss Doris Mackie of Toronto
 and Miss Marion Stark of New-
 market spent Sunday at the
 Fountain home.

Mr. Ken. Shaw of Brantford
 camp was in the village over
 the weekend.

Mrs. Lowndes, Miss Celestine
 Lowndes, of Toronto, and Miss
 Elizabeth Lowndes of Hamilton

Freedom And Moderation Found Together In Britain

JACK WITHROW TELLS OF FIRST EDITIONS AND TAVERN CONDITIONS

Following are extracts from a
 letter from Cpl. J. F. Withrow,
 B81777, No. 1 M.T.V.R.D., R.C.A.
 S.C., Canadian Army overseas,
 former editor of the Aurora Era,
 giving some interesting com-
 ments on life in England.

Since springtime, it's been
 rather dull, but up to then we
 saw enough of Jerry to keep us
 interested. Nothing ever hap-
 pens to me, though, and if you
 hear of a raid in any part of
 England, you can be very sure
 that I'm not in that part.

When I first came here, I
 spent several weekends in Lon-
 don, hoping for some excite-
 ment, and to get a little first-
 hand dope. Jerry had evidently
 been advised of my coming,
 however, and I never heard a
 bomb. Later, I took a seven-
 day leave there, but my luck
 was the same. Had been at the
 press club (imagine!) on each
 occasion and they finally made
 me an offer to come and stay in
 London as a good-luck charm.

Incidentally, my leaves have
 taken me to Scotland, southern
 Ireland, London, Devon and
 Somerset, and my next takes me
 to Wales, where I want to see
 what makes the miners mad. I
 find it easy to pick up good
 books cheaply here, particu-
 larly in Edinburgh. There I
 picked up a "Warning to Back-
 sliders" printed, if I recall, in
 1671. It was an original. A
 minister had preached a sermon
 to the aldermen of that city and
 had been commissioned to print
 it in book form. It only cost
 two shillings, sixpence, which is
 about as cheap as you can get a
 sermon today. In Reading, find-
 ing my hosts had not read "The
 Ballad of Reading Gaol," I set
 about to find a copy and was
 lucky enough to get a first edi-
 tion, which does not bear the
 name of Oscar Wilde, but only
 his prison number. Very jolly.

Have also bought a good num-
 ber of early histories, and use
 these instead of guide-books on
 my leave. Run into some inter-
 esting stuff. It takes about
 three months to get them home
 to my wife, however, as the cen-
 sor seems to find them slow
 reading.

Another source of interest, I
 find, is in the occasional authen-
 tic old "tavern." In Devon I
 was through the Lorna Doone
 country and the road I walked
 along the coast was the one on
 which the highwaymen operated.
 Coaches operated along that
 route until as late as 1829. Up
 to that time they had not found
 horries that would make the
 grades, which are in places ex-
 ceptionally steep.

Perhaps, as I note you have
 devoted an editorial to temper-
 ance, you might be interested in
 learning how the thing is man-
 aged over here.

I might begin by saying I can-
 not recall seeing an Englishman
 the worse for liquor in this
 country. Roughly, the situation
 is this:

There is little restriction on
 the quantity of pubs, with the
 result that they are scattered
 everywhere along the roads, in
 every village, no matter how
 small, and in every district of
 the large cities.

There are no large pubs which
 would compare in size to our
 Canadian beverage rooms. This,
 I think, enables the proprietor to
 control conduct better. In addi-
 tion, the people who patronize
 him are for the most part
 neighbors, and he knows them
 and their habits. They know
 him. So, instead of a large
 number of people who meet as
 strangers, you get a small group
 who live in the same small
 district. This, I think, governs
 their conduct to a large extent,
 and is conducive to moderation.

Over-indulgence would soon
 earn them the contempt of their
 friends and neighbors.

Then, too, the people are en-
 couraged to enjoy themselves in
 the pubs. Instead of, as in Cana-
 da, sitting down in a large hall
 full of strangers, and avidly
 drinking drink after drink be-
 cause of nothing else to occupy
 their time, the folk here play
 darts, draughts, dominoes, skittles,
 billiards, etc. There is usually a
 piano, and folk are encouraged
 to sing. This results in a more
 leisurely drinking, and many

were weekend guests of Mr. and
 Mrs. Willard Grose.

Weekend guests at the home of
 Mr. and Mrs. Barnum were Mr.
 and Mrs. Joe Hogg and family.

Anniversary services will be
 held in the United church here
 on Sunday, Oct. 19. A special
 speaker and music are being
 arranged for.

On Tuesday, Oct. 21, a supper
 will be held.

Sunday being the first Sunday
 in the month there will be a
 celebration of Holy Communion
 in St. James' church at 3 p.m.,
 standard time.

Proceeds of the East Gwillim-
 bury salvage campaign have
 been as follows: June 10, \$30.40;
 July 3, \$5.50; July 18, \$15; Sept.
 25, \$13.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Selby
 spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.
 Russell Caldwell, Cookstown.

Mrs. W. B. Selby spent Sun-
 day with Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred
 Bell, Cookstown.

LADIES' AID WILL MEET

The regular monthly meeting
 of the Junior Ladies' Aid of the
 Christian church will be held at
 the home of Miss Annabelle
 Smith, 12 Joseph St., on Thurs-
 day, Oct. 9, at 8 p.m.

people spend the evening in a
 pub with only a few pints of
 beer.

Instead of getting into a car
 and journeying down town (if in
 a city) or to the next town (if
 in the country), they merely
 walk around the corner and
 there they are. There is never
 the same feeling of compulsion
 to make a night of it, as they
 can return easily.

Hours of drinking are shorter
 here. About 11 to 2 in the noon
 hour, I think, and 5 or 6 to 10
 at night. Thus a man who steps
 in for a drink at noon would not,
 however weak, be enabled to
 make a day of it. Few people
 are in the pubs before seven in
 the evening.

They drink in mixed company,
 which I think a good thing in a
 small, neighborhood club. No
 man is going to step into a
 small place where he is sure to
 be noticed, and carry on with
 the village queen, when all his
 neighbors are looking on.

They drink from the age of 18
 on. But you see very few
 youngsters in the pubs. They
 cannot afford it, for one thing.
 Those that do come drink a few
 small beers discreetly, under the
 eyes of their elders, usually in
 company with mother and dad.

At home they get away from the
 family, away from friends, and
 in a large room, remote from
 any control at all, and with
 plenty of examples of how not
 to drink about them.

Children often throng the
 courtyard of the village pub. In
 Canada this would be a bad
 condition, as drunks would be
 reeling out from time to time.
 Here this is not the case, and the
 pub comes to be accepted as a
 part of the community life, with-
 out any "thou shalt" or "shalt
 not" attached to it. Fluidly
 speaking they are free of inhibi-
 tions.

Whether all this is good for
 the nation, I don't say—but the
 conditions are susceptible to
 further control, raising the age
 limit, shortening the hours, or
 lowering of the alcoholic content
 of the drinks—all without rais-
 ing much opposition.

At home the thing is out of
 control. People entering the
 taverns are encouraged to do
 nothing but drink, to stay long
 hours, in conditions where there
 is little restriction on behavior.
 Drinking conditions in Canada,
 I would say, are conducive to
 drunkenness. Conditions here
 place little restriction on mod-
 erate drinking, but are definite-
 ly conducive to moderation.

Canadians arriving here usual-
 ly go hny-wire when they find
 they can buy hard liquor as
 well as beer, but they soon
 learn, with some exceptions,
 how to drink. The exceptions
 are those whose training has
 taught them to find enjoyment
 only in drunkenness, and these
 are not made welcome in any
 English pub.

Mount Albert

Next Sunday is national communion Sunday and all church members and also those who are not should come out to church.

Mrs. N. Rogers of Toronto was calling on friends in town on Saturday and spent the weekend at the home of her brothers, Messrs. Jack and Hugh Evans.

A number of ladies from here attended the Sharon Red Cross tea on Saturday at the home of Mrs. Arthur Evans on the fourth concession.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Scott attended the wedding of Mrs. Scott's sister, Miss E. E. Kingston, at Wesley church on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. R. V. Wilson and Velma Thompson attended the meeting for the supper club, held in Newmarket on Monday, and Mrs. B. Sinclair went on Tuesday. They will be instructors for the girls' club, who will later take up this project.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stokes, Elizabeth, and Mrs. Carroll, and Mr. Geo. Stokes of Toronto were home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Stokes, on Sunday.

The Women's Institute has made fruit cake to put in the Christmas boxes for the boys overseas, who have gone from the township.

Miss Daisy Watts and Miss Partridge, of Dunnville, were weekend visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Watts. Mrs. Watts has been ill in bed for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. J. Oliver was taken to the Toronto General hospital on Saturday for treatment.

Mrs. Necker of Vancouver was in town this week looking after some property left by his late wife, formerly Miss K. Last.

Mrs. Harvey of Peace River was a guest this week at the home of her cousin, Miss B. Harmon.

Rev. Mr. Allnut of the Upper Canada Bible society, Toronto, gave a very fine illustrated lecture on the work of the Bible society in the United church on Thursday evening. Two news reels on the work in Japan showed the fine spirit of the Christian Japanese and their ardent desire to spread the gospel in their own land. The moving pictures were a treat. This is a work everyone should help with.

The October meeting of the Women's Institute will be held on Thursday, Oct. 9, at the home of Mrs. Bruce Rolling, at 2:30 p.m. Mrs. Boyes of Churchill will be the guest speaker and there will be a shower of all kinds of pins for the roll-call. All ladies are welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. William Sawdon of Newmarket and Mr. William

Lawrence of Toronto visited at the home of Mrs. M. Mainprize on Sunday.

Rev. R. V. Wilson attended the meeting of Toronto east presbytery in Toronto on Tuesday of this week.

The Red Cross held a quilting in the town hall on Wednesday and when all are completed they will have nearly 20 quilts.

A number of the ladies from here were at Sharon on Tuesday packing Christmas boxes for the boys overseas from the township.

Miss G. Moore and Miss Beggs of Toronto spent the weekend with Mrs. Moore in town.

Sharon

The regular meeting of the Sharon Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Phil Hamilton on Thursday, Oct. 9, at two p.m., S.T.

Mrs. Ernest Wright and Mrs. Norman Crone are conveners for the topic, "Home and School." The roll-call will be answered by ways of serving milk and recipes. Mrs. C. R. Boulding of Aurora will give a paper on "Feeding the family in wartime." Current events will be given by Mrs. J. S. Osborne. A contest on naming baby pictures will be held, each member bringing their own baby picture. The refreshment committee will be Miss Nora Shaw, Mrs. F. McKrill, Miss Edith Haines and Mrs. Ernest Wright.

There will be a sale of vegetables at the meeting.

Glenville

Mr. and Mrs. J. Jones and Donald spent the weekend in Mimico with Mr. and Mrs. W. Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Rogers and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. Deavitt and family and Mr. and Mrs. G. Gortshore and family were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Deavitt.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Doan, Calvin and Helen, spent the weekend in Thornbury.

Mr. and Mrs. George Anning and Shirley and Mr. John Black spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. Black.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Jarvis of Toronto spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gould.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Orser of Barrie spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James Webster.

The Glenville Thanksgiving services will be held Sunday, Oct. 19.

Era auction sale bills command attention and are produced at a low price which includes a sale notice in The Era.

LOOK OUT FOR

(Continued from Page 1) turns out badly—should have a vote. It is a question to be decided by bona fide citizens of Newmarket, and not by temporary guests.

"We do not assume that a majority of the fine young men at the camp would vote to make Newmarket wet, but we do assume that those who are wet-minded would be the ones whose names were added to the list."

We presume that you know that the election in Newmarket on Dec. 1, 1941, will not be a municipal election conducted on municipal lines and by municipal machinery—but one conducted and governed by the same machinery that is used in provincial elections.

We presume that you know that the electors who vote do not do so on their municipal qualifications but on their qualifications as provincial electors.

The Election Act of the province of Ontario states that any British subject 21 years of age, who has been in a municipality 60 days prior to the election, may vote.

That would cover the case of, say, a single man, 21 years of age, who has been working in a factory and boarding in Newmarket. He is not in the army and is at liberty to order his own movements, to live in Newmarket or otherwise—but he is, undoubtedly, entitled to vote.

There is a basic training centre within the municipal limits of Newmarket. Men who have enlisted for active service, as well as men who are drafted for the defence of Canada within Canada, live in this camp.

These men have no choice as to their movements. They may be there 60 days or they may be there for a longer or lesser time. They are at the complete disposal of dominion military authorities.

Many of these boys are under 21 and would not have a vote under any circumstances. You ask if certain things are reasonable—If it is reasonable that men mature enough to fight are not sufficiently mature enough to vote. We will not ask it. The law says they cannot do so—and that's that.

But we do ask you if you think that it is reasonable to put the civilian of army age, of whom we have spoken above, on the voters' list and not put on the list at the same time ALL THE SOLDIERS WHO AT THAT TIME ARE AT THAT CAMP.

These lists are made up a considerable time prior to election date. If the man was placed on the list and was, subsequently, moved by the military authorities, he would undoubtedly lose his vote. Equally undoubtedly the man who is moved in to take the place of the man moved out, would not have a vote because he was not on the voters' list compiled for the election.

You have, very wisely, discussed the situation apart from legal grounds existing in the law of Ontario. We think that they cover the case for the complete protection of the soldier. But, you state in effect, that no matter what the law says it is not reasonable that these men whom you term "temporary guests" should be accorded the right to be placed on the list with the type of civilians we have mentioned.

And it must be presumed that you know why these civilians can be placed on the list—namely, that the question to be voted on is one involving the rights and liberties under the provincial law of all qualified voters and not only of those having municipal franchise of property ownership.

We are not interested in the local issue raised by the election, but we ARE interested in the attitude of mind toward these

QUEENSVILLE Picks Green Peas From Garden In October

On Sunday the sacrament of the Lord's supper will be dispensed in the Queensville United church at 11 a.m. This Sunday is to be known as a world-wide communion Sunday and wherever it is possible the communion will be held in Protestant churches throughout the world. The session of the church is urging all members to be in attendance on Sunday. Any visiting friends are also especially invited.

Word has been received from Wellesley hospital, Toronto, that

HITLER, FIRE

(Continued from Page 1) cause every right-thinking person to pause and consider what he owes the community in which he lives. We owe it to ourselves but in a greater degree to our fellow-citizens to permit no condition to exist upon our premises that will invite a visitation of fire. A great majority of fires are so easy to prevent that it is certainly a moral crime to tolerate the things which bring them about.

"Cities and towns, like individuals, reap what they sow. To permit the erection of fire-traps, to fail to provide an abundant and reliable water supply and means of using it, or to fail to apply the everyday rules of fire prevention, is to constantly face a menace of heavy fires and sweeping conflagrations.

"Why tolerate a condition which not only levies tribute upon life and property but in effect imposes an added cost to the conduct of every feature of business activity and increases the burden of the people in providing the necessities of life.

"We cannot afford to go on and be indifferent to it all. Fire Prevention Week is a particular week set aside to call attention to the menace of fire. And just as we must throw our whole strength against the forces which aim to destroy our liberty, so should we be prepared to battle that other terrible demon—fire. Fire prevention during wartime is an inescapable patriotic duty. Every fire means the using of possible vital resources to restore the burned property. Let us make fire prevention a 52-week-a-year proposition!

The Dominion Fire Prevention Association, in co-operation with provincial fire marshals, local fire chiefs, insurance organizations and other organizations of national scope, is constantly working in the furtherance of the aims of fire prevention. Are you doing your part?"

men and toward what they are called upon to do, and the short shrift which that attitude of mind would now, and after the war, give to them, and what they have done or will do.

If the efforts of these, our fighting men, fail, or are frustrated by us, in due course the "temporary guests" could easily be replaced by the permanent prisoners of a concentration camp—on the same site.

We very much fear that attitude of mind which classifies them as "temporary guests." "Guests" is bad enough. Guests are people who are in a certain place at the sufferance of the host, just as long as the host wants them—and who do not pay their own way. The host owes them nothing. They have no right on his premises except by courtesy. "Temporary guests" are in an even more precarious position.

We give fair warning that this association will take up the fight to see that the laws of this province will be interpreted fairly and freely on behalf of our new comrades-in-arms, and that they shall not be disfranchised from their provincial ballot—if we can help it.

And, we are determined, they shall not be dependent upon the uncertain and variable frame of mind as to what is "reasonable" according to the interpretation of "reasonable" by any section of the public which believes that it has the power to enforce its interpretation thereof.

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JERSEY YOUNGSTERS HELP WAR VICTIMS



Pupils of Jersey school, North Gwillimbury, recently held a bazaar at the home of Mrs. Carl Anderson. They raised the splendid sum of \$27.25 which they sent to the Telegram British War Victims' Fund. A group of the pupils are seen above.

PLEASANTVILLE Presentations Made To Whitchurch Soldiers

Saturday evening, Sept. 27, around 130 folk of Bogartown community gathered at the school to bid adieu to four local boys who have enlisted during the past year. The early part of the evening was spent playing croquet. Winners were: ladies, Mrs. C. Peterson, Aurora; gentlemen, Rae McClure, Cedar Valley; consolation, D. W. Evans and Mrs. A. Tucker.

After everyone had assembled in the classroom, Reeve Earl Toole called all to attention and asked the Harper orchestra for a couple of numbers, after which all joined heartily in community singing. At this time Mr. Toole asked Troopers Orley McClure, Cecil Hoover, Pte. Doug. Sheridan and Aircraftman Ken. Wagg to take their places under the flag, while Miss Sadie McQueen read an address. These soldiers were presented with a lovely gold watch by the Misses Florence Tucker, Gladys Harper and Frances Stickwood, while to Ken. Wagg Miss D. Penrose presented a lovely pen and pencil set. After a word of appreciation from each one, more community singing followed. At this very appropriate time Joshua Stickwood presented to the school a new flag for the new flagpole, which was a gift from Mr. Williams this summer. This ceremony was climaxed by the singing of "We'll never let the old flag fall" and "Abide with me" and "God Save the King," after which all did justice to a bountiful lunch. These soldier boys were very grateful to the community as a whole, especially to the committee in charge, namely Mrs. Earl Toole, Miss McQueen, Miss G. Harper and Miss F. Stickwood for remembering them in such a manner.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Toole spent a few days in Toronto with their daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Forbes.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Colville and Mrs. Storoy spent Sunday calling on various relatives in Toronto.

Miss Dora McClure has accepted a position in the city, and spent Sunday at home.

Master Stuart Toole is feeling fine after his tonsil operation last Wednesday.

There was a very good attendance at each service last Sunday. In the morning Rev. J. A. Kofend gave a good message and a ladies' choir gave a fine number. The duet by the Misses Hope and Hunt was especially enjoyed. In the evening Rev. Arthur Greer gave the congregation plenty of food for thought and the Uxbridge male quartet were all that could be desired in song.

The Bogartown community club will re-open on Friday at the school. A full attendance is requested as there is important business to discuss.

Mr. E. J. Norris is improving in health and expects to be home shortly.

Jas. Aylward, who met with an accident some weeks ago, is gradually improving.

Mr. Wilford Pegg returned home from the Western hospital, Toronto, last week. Their many friends sincerely wish a speedy recovery for both Mr. and Mrs. Pegg.

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Schomberg Fair Draws Attendance Of 3,000

Established in 1882, the year that The Newmarket Era was established, the King township fall fair at Schomberg last week probably established a record with 3,000 attendance.

As usual the baby contest drew a large number of entries. After careful consideration the judges awarded first prize to a girl, Ellen Louise, 14-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Kennedy, Schomberg.

Second prize was awarded Glenda, eight-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Brown of Beeton. In third place was a boy, Winston, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Rae, Tottenham.

Roots and vegetables: late potatoes, Mrs. J. W. McDermott; early potatoes, Mrs. N. Hughson; Swedish turnips, greystone turnips and field carrots, W. N. Gibeby; table carrots, Miss Bertha Cowan; parsnips, table beets and pumpkins, W. N. Gibeby; yellow intermediate mangel-wurzels, Mrs. Ken Holme; mangel-wurzels, any other kind, Earl Edwards; squash, Mrs. J. W. McDermott; yellow globe onions, cauliflower and cabbage, W. N. Gibeby; red onions, Miss Bertha Cowan; red peppers and tomatoes, Mrs. J. Foster, Sr.; citrons, Mrs. N. Hughson, and collection of potatoes, Mrs. Hugh Hamilton.

Fruits: apples, Rhode Island and Northwest greenings, northern spys, Tolman sweets, St. Lawrence and crab, Edgar Neeshaw; Baldwin and golden russet, W. N. Gibeby; McIntosh russet, Mrs. J. W. McDermott; Delicious, Shirley McLeod; snow, Wilfred Acheson; fall pears, W. N. Gibeby; bushel of fall apples, Edgar Neeshaw; special display of fruit, Edgar Neeshaw, and best bushel of winter apples, Edgar Neeshaw.

Plants: gladioli, dahlias and roses, Mrs. J. Foster; asters and zinnias, W. N. Gibeby; best specimen plant in bloom, Stanley Leonard; dinner table bouquet, Mrs. Clarence Marchant; living-room bouquet, Mrs. N. Hughson; best begonia, Wilfred Acheson; best fern and best floral display of potted plants, Mrs. Clarence Marchant.

Dairy products: sweet cream, churning, Mrs. H. Hamilton; extracted honey, W. N. Gibeby; maple syrup, Miss Bertha Cowan; hen eggs, white, Mrs. J. W. McDermott; hen eggs, brown, Mrs. N. Hughson; special exhibit of butter, Mrs. J. L. Atkinson.

Fine arts: oil painting, still life, Mrs. J. Foster; oil painting, landscape, Mrs. Bertha Cowan; water color, landscape, Mrs. J. Foster, Sr.; water color, copy of old master, Mrs. Clarence Marchant; water color, figure work, Mrs. J. Foster, Sr.; crayon, Mrs. J. W. McDermott; collection of six different pieces of art, Mrs. J. Foster, Jr.; pen and ink sketch, Mrs. Bertha Cowan; pencil drawing, Mrs. J. W. McDermott; animal study, Mrs. Kenneth Gold; radio lamp, hand-made, Mrs. Clarence Marchant; hand-painted china salad bowl, Nelson Wauchop; collection of five pieces, Mrs. Clarence Marchant.

Jumping and riding competitions: hacks, Night Hawk, driven by Joanna Crawford, King; Ptiloto, driven by G. Drewbrook, Toronto; Sun Dog, driven by V. W. Bladen, King.

Best boy or girl rider, 8 years and under, Mary Sullivan, Sarah Bladen, Joyce Jewitt.

Best boy or girl rider, 10 years and under, Mary Usher, Shirley Hill, Sarah Bladen.

Best boy or girl rider, 13 years and under, Sylvia Douglas, Gill Crawford, Terry Archer.

Best boy or girl rider, 18 years and under, Patricia Grant, Sylvia Douglas, Gill Crawford.

Best boy or girl rider, over jumps, 18 years and under, Gill Crawford; Patricia Grant; Sylvia Douglas.

Jumping, harness and local residents, Rosellen, ridden by V. W. Bladen; Night Hawk, ridden by Joanna Crawford; Sun Dog, ridden by Patricia Grant.

Jumping, pure performance, Sir Gray, ridden by Patricia Grant; and Patey, ridden by Bert Ross; Sandy, ridden by Sylvia Douglas, and Quende, ridden by Doris Jewitt; Night Hawk, ridden by Joanna Crawford, and Sun Dog, ridden by Mrs. V. H. Bladen.

Musical chairs competition, Gill Crawford; Andy McFarland; Eileen Jewitt.

Horses, Clydesdales, team in harness, broad mare with colt and spring colt, J. H. Kellum, Nashville; one-year-old geldings, Wm. Lindsay and Sons, Beeton. Percherons, team in harness, Harold Lepard, Schomberg; spring colt and one-year-old gelding, Earl Cook, Kettleby; two-year-old geldings, Albert Jewitt, Schomberg.

Wagon horses, team in harness, Ernest Elmer; spring colt and one-year-old gelding, William Lindsay and Sons, Beeton; two-year-old gelding, H. E. Stewart and Sons, Bolton. Light horses, team in harness, Wilmot Hussey, Alliston. Brood mare with colt, Ernest Elmer, Tottenham. Gent's turnout, William Hussey, Alliston. Best horse, any age, J. H. Kellum, Nashville. Cattle, registered purebred (best breeding), heifer (two years and under

HARVESTING IN FIELD, FARMER IS STRICKEN

Well-known East Gwillimbury township farmer, Fred Ellsworth Johnston, died very suddenly at his home on the fifth concession of East Gwillimbury township near Queensville on Sept. 22. He was fifty years of age.

Mr. Johnston had had a stroke last May and was ill for nearly a month, but recovered. Recently he was in Toronto for two weeks on jury duty. Returning home he had gone out to cut buckwheat on his farm, when he was suddenly taken ill again. His wife and young son were with him at the time in the field and sent for help, but Mr. Johnston did not regain consciousness and died two days later.

He was born and lived all his life on the farm which his father and grandfather helped to clear, and was the son of the late Edward and Annie Johnston of Queensville, who predeceased him a few years ago. On Nov. 21, 1928, he married Lillian James. Their elder son, Russell, died in childhood.

Mrs. Johnston and one son, Elmer, nine years old, survive. Mr. Johnston was a staunch Conservative.

A large number of friends and relatives from Toronto, Shelburne, Maple, Maxwell, Mount Albert and other points attended the funeral at his late residence on Sept. 24. Rev. Hugh Shannon of Queensville United church, of which Mr. Johnston had been a member, conducted the service, assisted by Rev. J. O. Johnston of Toronto, a cousin, and Rev. Albert Mills of Shelburne. Many beautiful floral tributes indicated the esteem in which Mr. Johnston was held.

Palbearers were Norman Smith, Toronto, Harold Rose, Mount Albert, Vern York, Sutton West, Willard Cole and Gordon Cole, Queensville, and R. L. Boag, Newmarket. Interment was made in Queensville cemetery.

Holland Landing

The Annual Harvest Thanksgiving service will be held in Christ church, on Sunday, Oct. 5, at 7 p.m. standard time. Rev. Dr. K. C. Evans of Trinity college, Toronto, will be the guest speaker. The service will be in the charge of Rev. A. J. Forte, incumbent of the parish. A cordial welcome is extended to all members and friends of the congregation to attend this service.

SON OF FORMER AUROREAN IS R.C.A.F. GRADUATE

One of the recent R.C.A.F.

(three), and heifer calf (under one year), exhibits of Earl Cook, Kettleby. Holstein, bull (one year and over) and cow (two years and over), Gordon Brethel, Tottenham. Bull calf (under one year), heifer (two years and under three), Earl Edwards, Schomberg; heifer (one year and under two), and heifer (under one year), Nelson Wauchope, Schomberg.

Ayrshire: the exhibit of H. E. Stewart and Sons, Bolton, took honors in all classes. Jersey, bull (one year and over), bull calf (under one year) and cow (three years and over), Alfred Bagg, Edgely; heifer (two years and under three), and heifer (one year and under two), Stewart Mellow, Bolton; heifer calf (under one year), Alfred Bagg, Edgely. Best steer or heifer, Earl Cook, Kettleby. Best purebred calf, dairy type, H. E. Stewart and Sons, Bolton. Best group of dairy animals, Alfred Bagg, Edgely.

Shrop, Oxford, aged ram, ram lamb, ewe lamb, Gordon Brethel, Tottenham; ram (one shear), aged ewe, yearling ewe, Charles Walton, Kettleby. Cheviots, aged ewe, yearling ewe and ewe lamb, Charles Walton, Kettleby. Boys' and girls' market lamb, Margaret Walton, Kettleby.

Sydney, registered bacon type, boar (aged), boar pig (six months and under twelve), and boar pig (under six months), Dr. R. James Pinkney, Cooksville. Broad sow (aged) and sow pig (six months and under 12), George Williams, Queensville; and sow pig (under six months), Geo. Wilkinson, Alliston.

Pair of bacon hogs, George Wilkinson, Alliston. Best registered sow, Dr. R. James Pinkney, Cooksville. Best registered sow, George Williams, Queensville.

Earl Johnston, Hawkestone, swept the poultry classes when his exhibits won 29 prizes, including a special class for the best utility pen of Barred Plymouth Rocks.

graduates at Camp Borden was Elwood Burgess of Cannington. Sgt. Burgess' father, William Burgess, was a well-known Aurora plumber and electrician of over 25 years ago.

AURORA MANY PARTIES HELD FOR POPULAR BRID

Mrs. William Kingston was hostess at a trousseau tea in her home, on Wednesday, Sept. 24, in honor of her daughter, Miss Erm Griffith, the bride's aunt, poured tea. Assisting in looking after the guests were the two attendants of the bride, Mrs. Charles Scott and Miss Dora Cameron, as well as Mrs. Lorne Cousins, Mrs. Robert Carr, Mrs. Charles Watt, Miss Marion VanNostrand, Miss Mabel Carr, Miss Erna Colles and Miss Lona and Lorna Cousins.

Among those who have entered for Miss Kingston are Mrs. R. J. Lang and Miss Marie Love, a miscellaneous and kitchen shower. Mrs. G. R. Richardson, a bath room shower; Vanderford community shower and presentation. Four other presentations were made: by the Aurora public school staff, Wesley United choir, Wesley Sunday-school and the Young People's organization.

KESWICK
Mr. and Mrs. E. Andrews (nee Dolly Bagshaw) and Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Bagshaw of Oshawa visited the latter's sister, Mrs. F. Eastman, over the weekend.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

IN THE ESTATE OF ALBERTA MUNRO, LATE OF THE TOWNSHIP OF NORTH Gwillimbury, IN THE COUNTY OF YORK, WIDOW, DECEASED.

Creditors of the above-named deceased, who died at the Township of North Gwillimbury on the Seventh day of November, 1938, are hereby notified pursuant to THE TRUSTEE ACT to send to the undersigned proof of their claims on or before the Twenty-seventh day of October, 1941, after which date the assets of the Estate will be distributed having regard only to the claims of which the undersigned will then have notice.

DATED at Newmarket this Twenty-fifth day of September, A.D. 1941.

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